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Records of the U.S. Mint at Philadelphia
Correspondence

LETTERS SENT BY THE DIRECTOR AND THE SUPERINDENTENT OF THE MINT, 1866-1900

Feb. 16, 1892 - Apr. 6, 1893

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GROSSMANN & STRAFFORD,
STATIONERS,
BLANK BOOK MAKERS,
PRINTERS,
703 Chestnut St., Phila'a.

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From 8-3-92

to 10-22-92

Daily discontinued by

order of Superintendent

See last Official Register "In"

I. D.

August. 1892.

American Ex. Nat. Bank N. Y.

August 17/76 17/77 20/76 23/102 23/103
September 18/252 18/253 19/254 20/260 23/272 29/303
October 5/371 18/408

Abstract Clerk

August 5/17 6/22 9/32 11/46 12

Assayers in Charge

Denver Colo.

August 6/23
September 30/310

Comer

August 31/146

September 2/160 10/211

October 4/313

Compania Metalurgica Mexicana

August 25/111. 20/139

September 16/289 21/263 29/303

October 7/354 13/407

Com. Kansas City S & R. Co

August 9/374 9/374 13/56 17/76

September 2/163 2/164 13/226 14/230 21/263 28/297

October 3/319 8/355 11/391 17/431

Clark Lodge & Co.

August 11/48 17/76 19/89 20/94 26/119 29/134

September 7/183 20/208 20/209 23/272 24/278 28/295 28/296 30/310

October 3/318 4/335 4/336 5/343 7/353 8/370 12/397 12/398 14/414 17/432 20/461

Director

August 2/2 3/3 3/6 3/8 4/9 4/10 4/11 4/14 5/21 6/21 8/28 8/31 9/33 9/38 9/39 10/38 10/40 10/43 10/47 12/62 13/58 15/59 15/62 15/66 16/67 16/68 16/69 18/79 18/80 19/84 20/92 20/97 22/97 23/100 24/106 24/107 25/108 25/108 26/114 27/122 27/120 27/131 30/137 30/142 31/147 31/149 31/151 31/152

September 1/153 1/154 1/157 1/158 2/161 2/163 3/166 3/167 3/169 3/171 6/174 6/176 7/179 7/184 7/183 7/186 7/187 7/188 8/189 8/190 8/192 8/195 8/197 8/202 8/205 9/207 10/212 10/213 13/221 13/222 14/226 14/231 14/237 14/238 14/234 20/261 21/262 22/267 23/271 23/275 23/276 24/282 26/283 26/284 26/286 27/290 27/291 28/294 29/300 30/308 30/313 30/316 30/324

October 3/322 4/324 4/325 4/328 4/338 4/339 5/341 7/350 7/357 7/362 7/368 7/369 7/360 7/361 8/365 8/362 8/378 10/385 10/388 12/398 13/402 13/403 13/406 14/410 14/411 14/412 14/417 14/418 15/421 15/424 16/426 17/428 17/430 18/435 19/441 19/444 19/445 20/446 20/447 20/448

Department of Justice Atlanta, Ga.

August 8/27

Engraver

August 4 0½

Handy T Harman

August	4/15	4/16	4/164	8/36	16/71	6/712	17/74	20/96	29/133
September	1/166	12/217	14/229	22/269	23/273	26/289	29/302	30/307	30/311
October	6/348	8/369	12/396	12/400	20/482				

U. S. Legation, Lisbon, Portugal

August 15/61 Copenhagen Denmark.

August 19/76 The Hague, Netherlands.

September 8/191 Melter & Refiner

October 4/323

L M N O P Q R S T V W X Y Z

Newsage Colgate Vs.

August 11/12 15/18

September 8/200 15/240 19/255 24/279 29/304 29/306

October 12/699

August 10/69 16/70 — Penn. Co. for Ins. Lives & Granting Annuities

August 25/109 — Post Master, Carbondale Pa.

P Q R S T V W X Y Z

J. & W. Seligman & Co.

August 9/67 10/395 19/87 19/88

Superintendent Mints.
Philadelphia

September 16/175 8/196
October 4/331 13/404

San Francisco.

August 15/60

R S T V W X Y Z

Treasury Department
Washington D.C.

Treasurer United States

August 3/4 5/14 6/20 6/26 8/29 11/49 12/53 10/52 13/55 14/58 15/64 16/72 17/74 18/81 19/88 19/91 20/99 21/104 22/106 24/111
26/120 27/124 27/125 29/136 30/141 31/148 3/170

September 1/165 2/166 3/168 6/176 7/181 8/199 9/208 12/214 12/218 14/227 15/238 16/245 19/251 21/266 21/268 22/272 24/281 26/287
27/293 28/299 29/301 30/314

October 1/316 3/321 4/340 5/344 6/346 7/352 7/357 6/364 8/366 8/367 8/373 10/386 10/387 11/390 12/394 13/407
14/413 14/416 15/422 15/423 17/434 18/436 19/443

Asst. Treasurer N.Y.

August 3/5 4/16 5/19 6/25 8/30 9/36 10/40 11/44 11/46 12/54 13/57 15/66 16/71 17/78 17/79 18/82 19/90 20/92 22/98 23/101 24/106 25/113
26/118 27/123 29/136 30/140 31/148

September 3/169 6/198 7/182 8/201 9/206 9/209 10/214 12/216 12/219 13/224 14/238 15/238 16/244 17/248 19/256 20/267 21/264 22/267
21/264 22/270 23/274 24/280 26/288 27/292 28/298 29/307 30/312

October 1/317 3/320 4/337 5/342 6/347 7/346 8/368 10/386 11/392 12/401 13/408 14/416 15/420 17/430 18/437 19/442 20/460

Asst. Treasurer Phila

August 9/84 30/138

September 9/206

Genl Supt. U.S. Life Saving Service

August 12/51

October 17/429

First Comptroller

August 23/126

September 6/173

Acting Supervising Architect

October 22/404

T V W X Y Z

Weigh Clerk

August 5/17 6/22 9/32 11/45 12/55 16/67

September 1/313 6/172 13/220 22/265

October 6/345 11/389 13/410 15/420 17/427 20/447

Zimmermann & Forshay

August	20/93	2 5/112
September	6/177	29/306
October	19/440	20/453

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

August 3d 1892

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 2d inst, relative to "Medals Sold to Superintendent for Corner Stone", I beg to say that the cost of said Medals is deducted from the Medal balance

On Abstract "G" you will find $7.92, the cost of the Silver and bronze Medals sold, deducted from the balance viz-Silver 1.82, bronze 6.15 = $7.92.

The Sheet with Abstract A' marked * was added merely to explain which Medals were delivered to the Superintendent.

I return herewith the paper sent in your letter.

Hoping the above explanation will prove satisfactory

I am Very respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington D. C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 5 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins received for Assay this day, namely:-

Two (2) Std Dollars Dec #117.

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 3 1892

Sir:

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th 1890 to be approximately

$144,000—

Confirming my telegram of this date.

Very Respectfully,

Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States

Washington,

D. C.

O.B.J.

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug 3d 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11692	favor	Handy & Harman	for $ 46,000.00
" 11693	"	Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.	" $ 56,000.00
" 11694	"	Nevada Colgate & Co	" $ 19,588.22
" 11695	"	Handy & Harman	" $ 22.547.97
"	"		" $
"	"		" $

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

August 3rd 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech,

Director of the Mint,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to request that you make requisition on the Secretary of the Treasury, in favor of the Superintendent of this Mint, for the sum of fifteen-hundred(1500)dollars, payable from the appropriation for Parting and Refining Bullion, to aid in meeting the expenses of this Mint, on that account, for the current month.

Very respectfully,

Acting Superintendent.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

August 3rd 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech,

Director of the Mint,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to request that you make requisition on the Secretary of the Treasury, in favor of the Superintendent of this Mint, for the sum of fifteen-hundred(1500)dollars, payable from the appropriation for Storage of Silver Bullion, Act of July 14th 1890, to aid in meeting the expenses of this Mint, on that account, for the current month.

Very respectfully,

Acting Superintendent.

Philadelphia
Aug 3d 92

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of Philada
Twenty six Thousand, five hundred
(26.500—) Dollars ——————————

Aug 31st

92

9½ Ist
Ist Janj 9th 90

Phila # 3.500—
" 20.000—
" 3.000—
26,500

Ordinary Fund

DRV

August 4th 2

Sir

Your letter of the 3d inst enclosing Treasury Draft No 20,194 for $723.25, in payment of bill for Eight gold and Twenty fine Silver "Jeannette Medals", Mounting, Cases &c., has been received.

The vouchers for the same are also at hand.

Very respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

Superintendent's Office.

Aug 4 2

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special assay this day, namely:-

Coo (2) Quarter Dollars Dec 4 1876

Very Respectfully,

Acting Supt

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August 4th 2

Sir:

In compliance with your letter of the 25th of July, I send by U.S. Express, one Silver Life Saving Medal, Mounted, and Case, and enclose herewith duplicate receipted bills, including Express charges, amounting to $11.65.

I also enclose Vouchers, which please sign and return to this office.

Very respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug 4th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Nesslage Colgate & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug 1st, 1892

Invoice Weight,	*ozs.*	100,063.70
Fine Weight,	*ozs.*	99.742.52
Value, @ 0.8573 *per oz. fine,*	$	85.509.26

Acting *Superintendent.*

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 4 1852

Sir

I have the honor to report [illegible]

Deposites Gold Bullion [illegible]

purchase [illegible]

$106.000.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 4 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report herewith, Warrant on the Assistant Treasurer United States at [illegible] for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th 1890 to be appropriated by

$106.000.

Confirming my telegram of the date

[illegible]

CBJ

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Aug 4th 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I forward by mail today, my Ordinary, Refinery, and Storage of Silver Bullion Accts, for the month of July 1892.

Very respectfully

Acty Supt

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(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug 4th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated July 22d, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	150,083.25
Fine Weight,	ozs.	149,858.50
Value, @ 0.8680 per oz. fine,	$	130,077.16

Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

	Invoice Weight.	Fine Weight.	Value.
Delivered in July	149,031.75	148,807.83	129,165.18
" " Aug=	1,051.50	1,050.67	911.98
	150,083.25	149,858.50	130,077.16

Aug 4th

Steady Market

July 25th

69,814.66

69,690.93

[Ed. 12-15-'89—1,000.]

	Invoice Weight	Fine Weight	Value
Delivered in July	54.131.41	54.017.37	46.745.02
" " Aug-	15.683.25	15.673.56	13.537.63
Total	69.814.66	69.690.93	60.282.65

0.13.f.

16.1/4

Aug 4th 2

Handy & Harman

July 25th 2

69,814.66

69,690.93

0.865 60,282.65

Adj

16½

O.B.J.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug 4th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No 11696, favor	Nesslage, Colgate & Co		$	7,921.04
" 11697, "	Do	Do Do	" $	64,000.00
" 11698, "	Em. Kansas City S & R Co.		" $	18,699.48
" 11699, "	Handy & Harman		" $	15,727.85
" ....., "	.....		" $	.....
" ....., "	.....		" $	.....

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Aug. 5 2

The Abstract Clerk

Adowner Purchasing

rate for Local Purchases 85½

cents per ounce Fine.

Aug. 5 2

The Mint Clerk

Adowner Purchasing

rate for Local Purchases 85½

cents per ounce Fine.

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(Form No. 2)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug 6th 2

Nesbago, Colgate & Co.

Aug 3d 2

100,438.35

100,179.61

0.857 85,853.92

Acting

O.B.J.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug 5th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11700, favor Handy & Harman, for $32,000.00

" 11701, " Nesslage, Colgan & Co., " $21.853.92

" ____, " ____, " $____

" ____, " ____, " $____

" ____, " ____, " $____

" ____, " ____, " $____

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(No. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 5 1862

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th 1890, to be approximately $57,000.

Confirming my telegram of this date.

Very Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States.

Washington,

D C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 5th 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward bill of Nora V. McNulty for June balance of wages, the liability having been stated when the wages were spended were covered into the Treasury.

I will thank you for a draft to cover the bill.

Very Respectfully

[signature]
Acting Supt

Miss McN. was ill, and her whereabouts unknown up to this A.M.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 6 1872.

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter of Aug. 5. inst. relative to sales of silver made by Messrs. Handy & Harman in July ultimo. I beg to say that of these sales 16,724.23 fine ounces were paid for in August.

Adding that amount to figures on form 64 the total is 3,706,572.75 fine ounces.

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office

a.m. 10.20 Aug. 6, 1892

The Night Clerk

Reduce purchasing
rate for silver to 85 cents per
fine ounce.

for Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office

Aug. 6, 1892

The Assistant Clerk

Reduce purchasing
rate for bullion to 85 cents
per fine ounce.

for Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 6, 1892

M. E. Smith Esq
Assayer-in Charge
Denver, Colo.

Sir:-

Replying to your inquiry of Aug. 2, relative to July deposits of gold bullion or grains, I beg to say that we have no record of deposits by Anthony Stevens, on our books in July, nor so far as we can find, in the calendar year.

Respectfully, Yours,

Acting Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
Superintendant

Augt 6th 1890

Hon. C. C. Leech
Director U.S. Mint
Washington
D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that the approximate amount of Silver purchased and parted during the current month as assayed to date, Oct July 1st 1890. is 5122.92 Fine Ounces, Value $4460.97.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servt

Actg. Superintendant

O.S.J

Form No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug 6th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir

I draw this day check ---

No. 11702 favor Handy & Harman for $ 54,120.00
" 11703 " J. W. Seligman & Co " $ 46,000.00
" ____ " ____ " $ ____
" ____ " ____ " $ ____
" ____ " ____ " $ ____
" ____ " ____ " $ ____

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 6th 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th 1890 to be approximately

$100.000.

Respectfully

Your Obt. Servt.

[illegible]

Director

To

The Treasurer of the United States

Washington D.C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

August 8. 1892

C. S. Clark. Esq
Dept. of Justice
Ottawa, Dom. of Canada

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of inquiry of the 5th inst I beg to hand you our circular of information touching gold deposits at this Mint. It will probably give you the information you seek.

Respectfully Yours,

Acting Supt Mint U.S.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 8, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, viz:-

Five Hundred (2) Eagles ($20) delivered

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 8 1862

Sir

I have the honor to [illegible]

[illegible]

$24,000—

[illegible]

Very respectfully

[illegible] Acting

[illegible]

F.C.B.

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FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug- 8th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11.704, favor Handy & Harman, for $117.081.24
" 11.705, " E. W. Coligman & Co., " $15205.72
" 11.706, " Clark, Dodge & Co. " $28.000.00
" 11.707, " Con. Kansas City S.R. Co. " $84.000.00
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

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Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 8 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to forward to you by U.S. Express this day, sketches of obverse and reverse designs for the proposed Columbian Memorial coins, complying with your request of August 4 inst.

Both Mr. Barber and Mr. Morgan are away on vacation, but Mr. Morgan delayed his start long enough to make the sketch of the head. Mr. Barber had the reverse done before he went away. Our engraver agrees that the plaster model sent is not a proper one to work from. If possible our engraver should have the original to guide him in cutting the die. Will it be possible to give him access to the portrait?

Very Respectfully
Ed. Holbrook
Acting Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office

Aug. 9, 1892

The Assistant Clerk

Reduce purchasing
rate for local purchases to 84¼
cents per fine ounce.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug. 9, 1892

The Night Clerk

Reduce purchasing
rate for local purchases to 84¼
cents per fine ounce.

Aug. 9 1892

Sir:-

I send forward coins received for Assay test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Quarter Dollars Dec# 119

Very Respectfully

Assayer.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 9 1892

Hon. Louis R. Walter

Asst. Treasurer U.S.

Philadelphia

Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of three ($3) dimes said to have been in error of shipment of $20.00 to you Aug. 3. inst, and to thank you for the correction of same

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

S.T.S.

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug- 9th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11.708,	favor	Con. Kansas City S.W.R.Co.		$ 25,634.51
" 11.709,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	"	$ 45.647.65
" 11.710,	"	L. & H. Seligman & Co.	"	$ 68.000.00
" 11.711,	"	Kountze & Harman	"	$ 75,998.14
" 11.712,	"	(Penna Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities)	"	$ 63.000.00
" .....,	"	.....	"	$ .....

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

E.N.B.

(FORM No. 339.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 9th 1842

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Kaman

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 1st 1842

Invoice Weight, ozs. 251.291.98

Fine Weight, ozs. 250.663.46

Value, @ 0.8574 per oz. fine, $ 214.918.55

Adams Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'80—1,000.]

J.T.P.

(FORM No. 293.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 9th 1872

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from J. & W. Seligman & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 5th 1872

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	71.846.65
Fine Weight,	ozs.	71.635.91
Value, @ 0.8544	per oz. fine,	$ 61.205.72

Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 9th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Treasury of the Mint from Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.

per letter of advice dated Aug- 5th 1892

Fineness Weight,	oz.	119.331.75
Fine Weight	oz.	119.150.70
Value @ 0.8544	per oz. fine $	101.802.36

Assistant Treasurer.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

E. T. P.

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(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA PA.

Aug- 9th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Am Kansas City S. & R. Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 1st 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs	99,926.18
Fine Weight,	ozs	99,756.98
Value, @ 85574	per oz. fine, $	85,531.63

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 9 1892

Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir -

Having made diligent search of our records I have not been able to find any clue to the material used in the "Medals of Honor". We have one of silver in the Mint cabinet, but none of bronze, nor do we think the medals were ever struck in gun metal. That would be too hard, would break the dies, and probably would not flow under the press impact. Some portion may have been gun metal, but if so we have no record of the fact.

Inquiry does not disclose any clue to the dies. Probably they are in the War Department. Regretting inability to give the information desired

Very Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent.

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Aug 9th, 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to forward you this day, by U. S. Express, a box containing the Bullion Accounts of this Mint, for the Fourth Quarter Fiscal Year 1892, together with Abstract Sheets and Vouchers pertaining thereto.

Very respectfully,

Adg Supt.

J.T.D.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug- 10th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Penna Company for Insurances on Lives & Granting Annuities per letter of advice, dated Aug- 8th 1892

Invoice Weight, ozs. 100,915.50

Fine Weight, ozs. 100.765.61

Value, @ 0.84448 per oz. fine, $ 85.126.79

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

A.79

39 1/2

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 10th 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Treasurer of the Mint from J. P. M. Seligman & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 8th 2

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	109.348.25
Fine Weight,	ozs.	109.096.73
Value, @ .8448	per oz. fine, $	92.164.92

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'99—1,000.]

E.T.P.

Form No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug – 10th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir.

I draw this day at sight —

No.	11.713	favor	(Penna. Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities)	$22,126.79
"	11.714	"	R. & M. Seligman & Co.	$24164.92
"	11.715	"	Handy & Harman	$57.814.32
"	11.716	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	$11.838.85
"	11.717	"	Gov. Kansas City S. & R. Co	$60.000.00
"		"		$

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office

Aug 10th 1892

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Hon. E. O. Leech.
Director of the Mint.
Washington D.C.

Sir:.

As requested in your favor of the 9th inst, I forward by today's mail, Vouchers belonging to my Supplemental Ordinary Expense Account for the month of June 1892. amounting in the aggregate to $5.084.66.

Trusting that the amount will meet the Comptroller's requirements before advancing funds to meet expenditures for the Current month.

Very respectfully

Acting Supt.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

August 10 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th 1890 to be approximately

176.000—

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States

Washington,

D. C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 10 1872

Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir-

Since writing you yesterday touching the Medal of Honor, I have found that in 1863 1864, a great number of these medals were struck in pure Copper.

The die was found to-day.

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

Aug 11 2

Chas. E. Barber Esq
Engraver
Sir:-

Please prepare and forward to Mint at San Francisco, Coinage Die of Calendar year, as follows

4 obverse Sherman
6 reverse "
3 obverse Hayden
3 reverse "

Respectfully Yours
Director
Acting Engr

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

Superintendent's Office,

Aug- 11th 2

Hon. E. H. Roberts
Asst. Treas. U. S.
New York

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you forward to this Office a book of blank checks for the use of this department.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

August 11th 1892.
11.30 A.M.

Sir:-

Reduce purchasing rate of silver to eighty-three and one half cents per ounce fine immediately.

Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent.

To the Abstract Clerk.

Like copy to Weigh Clerk.

45 1/2

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 1, 4th, 1872

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from

Clark, Dodge & Co.

Aug- 3rd 1872

	100,019.30
	99,715.96
0.8573	85,486.50

Deming Superintendent

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug- 11th 2

11.718	Handy & Harman	63,737.66
11.719	Bor. Kansas City 8.9860.	28.970.09

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 10 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to return the letters of Hon. J. Mott Smith, Hawaiian Minister and Hon. H. A. Widemann, Hawaiian Minister of Finance, with photograph of the Queen, and submit such information as has been given from this point.

To make 100.000 dimes will require 340 dollar ingots.

Cost of making ingots (approximately)		$ 1700
To make 200.000 nickel 5¢	2230 lbs Blanks @ 32¢	713.60
" 400.000 cents	2857 " " @ 20¢	571.40
Cost of striking 700.000 pieces @ 15¢ per thousand		105.00
Cost of dies to strike 700.000 pieces		150.00

Cost of engraving design cannot be given owing to the absence of Mr. Barber. But the photograph sent would not answer. It should be profile. If you can send sketch of Coat-of-arms the cost of engraving can be nearly given. I have made an

D. Ell. 8/11/92

allowance for a small profit to the mint, but not for much. Cost of metal for minor coin estimated as we buy them here.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 11 1892

Sir

Please [illegible] purchaser [illegible] the Act of July 14th 1890 to be [illegible]

$93.000-

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully

Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States

Washington,

D. C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 11 1892

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, viz:-

Two (2) Hf Eagles ($10) Act #40

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office

August 12th 1902

Sir

Your letter of the 11th inst enclosing Draft No 516209 for $11.65 in payment of bill for One Silver Life Saving Medal, Mounting, Case and Express charges, has been received.

Very respectfully

Acting Superintendent

S. I. Kimball Esq.
Gen'l Supt U. S. Life Saving Service
Treasury Department
Washington
D. C

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office

August 12th 1902

Sir:

I have this day received Drafts for $11.65 and Vouchers for One Silver Life Saving Medal, Cond'n. forwarded from this office on the 4th inst.

Very respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

August 12 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th. 1890, to be approximately

$109.000—

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully

[signature] Acting Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States.

Washington,

D. C.

B.S.S.

Aug-12th 2

11.720	Con Kansas City S.W.B. Co.	3.825.17
11.721	Handy & Harman	44.729.10
11.722	Handy & Harman	60.000.00

Acting

August 12th 1890.
12.30 P.M.

Sir:-

Reduce purchasing rate of silver to eighty-three cents per ounce fine immediately.

Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent.

To the Abstract Clerk.

One copy to the Weigh Clerk.

55 1/4

M.C.B

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
Superintendents

August 8 1893

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director U.S. Mint
Washington D.C.

Sir.

I have the honor to report that the approximate amount of Silver purchases executed during the current month (to July 31st 1890, as assayed to date, is 760.83 fine ounces. Value $604.69.

Very Respectfully
Your Obdt. Servt

Actg. Superintendent

509 ℥

51.327 "

79.359 "

20.377 ℔ "

4677 - "

291 ℔ "

77 ℔ "

156.618.50 ℥

A.T.S.

Aug- 13th 2

Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.

Aug- 8th 2

119.971.36

119.768.07

0.8448 101.180.06

Acting

E.T.P.

Aug- 13th 1912

11.723	Con. Kansas City Sol. Co.	8.384.80
11.724	Handy & Harman	31.212.71
11.725	Handy & Harman	19.738.50
11.726	(Penna Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities)	92.000.00

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 13 2

Sir

I have the honor to report shocks drawn this day from the Sub Treasurer of New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th 1890 as follows viz

$189.000—

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully

Dering Superintendent

To

The Secretary of the Treasury

Washington

D C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

August 15th 1892

Sir

Your letter of the 13th inst enclosing Treasury draft No 24,193 for $5.30 in payment of bill for Silver Marksmanship Medal, Can. T.T., has been received.

Please sign and return the Vouchers for the Same.

Very respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

August 15, 1892

Hon. J. H. Simond
Supt. Mint U. S.
San Francisco, Cal.

Sir:-

I send you this day by U. S. Express one box with Coinage dies of calendar year, as follows:-

4 obv.	Std Dollar	dos. 54 to 57	
6 rev	"	" 54 to 64	
3 obv.	Hf. Dollar	45 to 48	Inclusive
3 rev	"	45 to 47	

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office,

August 15 1872

Hon. Geo. S. Batchelder
Legation of the U.S.
Lisbon, Portugal.

Sir:-

Permit me to thank you for your letter of 30th July ultimo relative to coins of Portugal for the Mint Cabinet. If the coins of the reign of Dom Luis are not in good condition we do not care for them, and if you can procure a full set of Dom Carlos I, gold and silver, and forward them at your convenience, the Superintendent will be greatly obliged. Exchange for the cost will be transmitted promptly.

Very Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Superintendent's Office.

Aug. 15 1892

Sir:-

I send forward coin reserved for special test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Hf Eagles ($10) dec #41

Very Respectfully

Asst Supt.

Acting Supt.

B.F.B.

Form No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug- 15th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir,

I draw this day check—

No. 11.727	favor	Kandy & Karman	for $ 35.151.59
" 11.728	"	Kandy & Karman	$ 55.000.00
" 11.729	"	Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.	$ 21.000.00
" 11.730	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	$ 34.000.00
" 11.731	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	$ 17.000.00
" 11.732	"	(Penna. Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities)	$ 32.041.56

on payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent

(Fa. 12-5-90—1,000)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 15 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th, 1890, to be approximately

$97,000.-

Confirming my telegram of this date.

Very Respectfully,

Superintendent.

To

Treasurer of the United States.

Washington,

D. C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 15, 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to inform you that in pursuance of advertisement in sundry New York and Philadelphia daily newspapers, the bids received for 5¢ nickel and 1¢ bronze blanks were opened by me this day at 12.30 P.M., in the presence of the operative officers on duty, and of the respective bidders, and with results as follows:

Benedict & Burnham Mfg Co Waterbury Conn.:

200.000 lbs nickel blanks @ 39.25/100 per lb.

500.000 " bronze 1¢ blanks @ 28.75/100 "

More or less.

D. Ill.
8/15/92

Scovill Mfg Co. Waterbury Conn.:

200.000 lbs 5% Nickel blanks (about or less) @ .38.94/100 lb

500.000 " 1% Bronze " " @ .27.94/100 lb

Merchant & Co Philada.

200.000 lbs 5% Nickel blanks (about or less) @ .39 3/4 lb

500.000 " 1% Bronze " " @ 28 3/4 lb

The bid of the Scovill Mfg Co. being the lowest, is recommended for acceptance.

There were but three bidders. Bids enclosed.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

The foregoing bids were opened in our presence.

Jacob B. Eckfeldt
Assayer

H. Dettel
Coiner.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 16, 1892

The Abstract Clerk

Advance purchasing rate for silver to 83½ cents per fine ounce.

Acting Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 16, 1892

The Weigh Clerk

Advance purchasing rate for silver to 83½ cents per ounce fine.

Acting Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

67 1/2

Aug. 16, 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

Your letter of Aug. 15, advising of the enclosure of photographs of Lotto portrait of Columbus, had no enclosure.

I have not received any advices since sending the sketches forward by express, nor can I intelligently reply to numerous inquiries as to the coins. I have never seen any record of the passage of the act of authorization. May I request to be enlightened?

Very respectfully

Acting Supt.

XV

The Mint of the United States
Superintendent

August 16th 2.

Sir

Enclosed please find C/D. No 8186 for $700.00 deposited this day with the Asst Treasurer U.S. at Philadelphia, Pa on account of Profits of Medal Fund.

Very respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office

Aug. 16 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins received for Assay
test this day, namely:-

500 (2) Quarter Dollars Act 1/20

Very Respectfully

Acting Assayer

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 16th 2

Statement of Silver Bullion received at

the Mint from Penna. Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 12th 2

Fine Weight		149.717.14
Fine Weight		149.483.69
0.8298		124.041.56

Clerk

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 16th 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by (illegible)

the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice dated Aug- 12th 2

Invoice Weight		49.969.00
Fine Weight		49.901.30
Value	0.8293	41.383.15

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[55.12-5-30—1,040.]

B.F.B.

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71 1/2

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 16th 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Treasurer of the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice dated Aug- 5th 2

Invoice Weight,	oz.	376,245.40
Fine Weight,	oz.	375,604.64
Value @ 0.8544	per oz. fine $	320,916.61

Acting

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

Aug- 16th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11.733	favor	Kandy & Harman	for $	13.024.89
" 11.734	"	Kandy & Harman	" $	61.001.86
" 11.735	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	$	40.551.25
" 11.736	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	" $	31.461.37
" 11.737	"	Chi. Kansas City & R. Co.	$	16.545.66
" 11.738	"	American Exch. Nat. Bank	" $	71.000.00

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

[signature]

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 6 1892

Sir:

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th. 1890, to be approximately

$ 82340.00

Confirming my telegram of this date.

Very Respectfully

Superintendent.

To

Treasurer of the United States.

Washington,

D. C.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

Aug. 17 2

Sir:

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th 1890, to be applied [illegible]

$610.00 ——

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully

[signature] Acting Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States

Washington

D C

A.T.P.

(Form No. 200)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 17th 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the

the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 10th 2

Previous Weight, oz. 200,664.31

Fine Weight, oz. 200,289.98

@ Value .08435 per oz. Fine, $ 168.944.60

Assistant.

[Ed. 12-15-99—1,000]

E.S.9.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug-17th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug-10th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	100.727.80
Fine Weight,	ozs.	100.390.08
Value, @ 0.8423	per oz. fine, $	84.558.57

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug 17th 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Depositors

the Mint from Com. Kansas City S. & R. Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug 12th 2

Invoice Weight,	oz.	49.809.80
Fine Weight,	oz.	49.704.87
Value, @ 0.8293	per oz. fine, $	41.220.25

Clerk

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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(Form No. 9)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 17th 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased for the

the Mint from American Exchg Nat. Bank N.Y.

per letter of advice dated Aug- 15th 2

Fineness Weight			54,515,25
Fine Weight			54,433,53
@ Value	@ 0.8350	per oz. fine $	45,452.00

Exchg

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug- 17th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from American Exchg Nat. Bank N.Y.

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 15th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	29.865.70
Fine Weight,	ozs.	29.826.86
Value, @ 0.5360	per oz. fine,	$ 24.935.25

Acting Superintendent

[Ed. 15-'90-1,000.]

J.T.D.

Aug-17th 2

11.739	Clark, Dodge & Co.	10,007.32
11.740	Con. Kansas City L. & P. Co.	3,674.59
11.741	American Exchg Nat. Bank-1.4	24,643.56
11.742	Clark, Dodge & Co.	8,532.80
11.743	Handy & Harman	14,587.39

G.S.P.

U. S. Mint
Philada. Aug- 17th 2

July 30th 1892

3.885.758.62

Acting Superintendent

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 15, 1892

Director of the Mint U.S.

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to forward bids for Coiners Dies, scheduled as follows:

Balbach Sm. & Ref. Company	Newark N.J.	$680.00
J. P. Howard,	New York N.Y.	691.00
Teyicas & Aurora Sm. & Ref. Co	Chicago	685.00
Koriem & Hoolay,	Newark N.J.	695.00

The offer of Messrs. Koriem & Hoolay, being the highest will be accepted upon your approval.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 18 1892

HON. EDWIN D. ROSS,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, namely:-

Pcs (2) Half Eagles (#10) Dec 1/2

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 18 1892

Sir:

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th. 1890, to be approximately $140.000—

Confirming my telegram of this date.

Very Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent

G.

Treasurer of the United States,

Washington,

D. C.

6.59

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug- 18th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir

I draw this day check

No. 11.744	payable	Handy & Harman	$ 22.246.01
" 11.745	"	Clark Dodge & Co.	$ 59.000.00
" 11.746	"	P. & H. Seligman & Co.	$ 59.000.00
"	"		$
"	"		$
"	"		$

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

August 18th 1892.
12.45 P.M.

Sir:-

Reduce purchasing rate of silver to eighty-two and three quarters cents per ounce fine immediately.

Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent.

To the Abstract Clerk.

Like copy to the Weigh Clerk.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

July 19, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, viz:-

Two (2) Quarter Dollars Dec 1891

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

339.
50.657.50
20.596.
5124.
442.50
77.
79490.
156.726.50

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 19, 1892

Hon. Clark E. Carr.
U. S. Legation
Copenhagen Denmark.

Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of current coins of Denmark, and beg to thank you for your courtesy.

I have forwarded the sum $8.95 to Mr. Palmestock, Galesburg Ill., as you request, with explanations.

Very Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent

2.5.9.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug- 19th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from J. & W. Seligman & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 17th 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	45.175.70
Fine Weight,	ozs.	45.072.58
Value, @ 8360	per oz. fine, $	37.680.68

Chas. E. Leach Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug-19½ 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Treasurer of the Mint from E. & H. Seligman & Co.

per letter of agency dated Aug-12½ 2

Fine Ounces		50.465.40
Fine Ounces		50.374.68
Value	0.8295	41.785.80

Seligman

[Ed. 19-16-'80—1,000.]

A.T.C.

Aug- 19th 2

Clark. Dodge & Co.

Aug- 10th 2

Invoice Weight		100.402.40
Fine Weight		100.077.24
Value @	0.8428 per oz. fine	84.345.09

Acting

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug- 19th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11.747	favor	D. & H. Seligman & Co.	$ 20.466.48
11.748		Handy & Harman	$ 7.228.87
11.749		Handy & Harman	$ 63.297.43
11.750		Clark, Dodge & Co.	$ 42.413.64
11.751		American Exchange Nat. Bank N.Y.	$ 12.000.00
11.752		(Fourth Nat. Bank N.Y. Atty for Zimmermann & Forshay N.Y.)	$ 31.000.00

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent

(Ec. 12-15-90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

Aug. 19 92

176.000

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.
Superintendent's Office.

Aug. 20 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, viz:-

Two (2) Sundocans Dec. #122

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

92 1/2

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

May 20 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th, 1890, to be approximately

$1,500,000—

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully,

Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States.

Washington,

D. C.

R.S.?

92 3/4

Form No. 86 A.

Office of the United States [illegible] Philadelphia.

Aug 20th 1892

[illegible]
New York.

Sir.

I draw this [illegible]

No.	11.753	(Fourth Nat. Bank & Lafayette) Zimmermann & Forshay	$ 11.317.21
"	11.754	American Exchg Nat. Bank & L	$ 4.427.45
"	11.755	Kandy & Kamrad	64573.01
"	11.756	Clark, Dodge & Co.	9.205.71
"	11.757	Com. Kansas City & Ch. Co	$10.000.00
			$

[illegible] Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

[signature]

[illegible] Superintendent.

(Ex. [illegible] 15-'90—1,000.)

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug-20th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from

Zimmermann & Forshay

per letter of offer dated Aug-17th 1892

	50.846.95
	50.679.29
08350	42,317.21

Actng Supt Coiner

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug- 20th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 10th 1892

Invoice Weight	oz.	50,389.50
Fine Weight	oz.	50,218.63
Value @ .84333	per oz. fine	$ 42 349.37

Deming Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'80—1,000)

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug- 20th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from American Exchange Nat'l Bank

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 16th 1892

Fineness Weight	ozs	49.944.50
Net Weight	ozs	49.890.80
Value @ 0.8355	per oz. fine $	41.683.76

Sterling Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

A.C.S.

(Form No. 289.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug-20th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Harman

under contract dated Aug-8th 1892

	200.129.77
	199.792.75
0.8448	168.784.89

Acting Superintendent

U.C.B.

Superintendant
Augs 20th 2

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director U.S. Mint
Washington
D.C.

Sir.

I have the honor to report that the approximate amount of Silver purchased and parted during the current month (act July 14. 1890) as assayed to date is, 1155879 fine ounces, Value $10.010.22.

Very Respectfully
Your Obdt Servt

Actg Superintendant

97½

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 22 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for Assay test this day namely:-

Coin (2) Half Eagles (1810) Del 443

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

Q.T.9.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug-22nd, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11.758,	favor	Con. Kansas City S.W.R.Co.	for $	3.634.72
" 11.759,	"	Handy & Harman	" $	30.267.28
" 11.760,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	" $	62.000.00
"	"	.....	" $	.....
"	"	.....	" $	.....
"	"	.....	" $	.....

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 22 1893

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th. 1890, to be approximately

$76000—

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully

Superintendent.

To

Treasurer of the United States.

Washington,

D. C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Aug. 23 1872

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for assay this day, namely:-

Two (2) Std Dollars Ord #123

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug 23rd, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11.761,	favor	Handy & Harman	for $	31.700.04
" 11.762,	"	Con. Kansas City S.R. Co.	$	25.794.54
" 11.763,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	" $	22.344.13
" .....,	"	.....	" $	.....
" .....,	"	.....	" $	.....
" .....,	"	.....	" $	.....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

B.F.P.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug-23rd 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased for the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice dated Aug-15th 2

Invoice Weight		100.499.60
Fine Weight		100.252.23
Value	0.8365 per oz. fine	83.860.99

Acting

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

E.T.P.

(Form No. 20.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 23rd 2

Statement of Silver Bullion, purchased by the Superintendent of the Mint from

Clark, Rodgers & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug- 12th 2

Private Weight		50.043,50
Troy Weight		49.894,19
Value (Coin)	0.8298 per oz. troy	41.402,20

Acting

[Ed. 13-16-'90—1,000.]

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

Aug 23 92

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Gold Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th, 1890, to be applied as follows

$80.000

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States,

Washington,

D. C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

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HON. EDWARD O. LEACH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for
Specie test this day, viz:-

Two (2) Lean Bills. Del. F24

Supt.

United States at Philadelphia.

Aug 24 — 2

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FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug 24th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No.	11.764	favor	Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.	for $ 8,200.56
"	11.765	"	Kandy & Harman	" $30.193.93
"	11.766	"	Compañia Metallurgica Mexicana	$31.000.00
"	11.767	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	" $24.000.00
"	11.768	"	(Fourth Nat. Bank U.S. Agts for Zimmermann & Forshay)	$62.000.00
"	———	"	———	" $ ———

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

(No. 108 a.)

Mint of the United States,
Philadelphia
Aug. 24, 1892

To the Register of the Mint,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Inclosed herewith please find the following original Certificate of Deposit issued by Asst. Treasurer U. S. Philadelphia for money deposited by me as follows, viz:

No. 2187, for $100.000, on account of Assay Office Bullion

No. , for $, on account of

No. , for $, on account of

No. , for $, on account of

No. , for $, on account of

No. , for $, on account of

for the Quarter ended Sept 30, 1892

Respectfully yours,

Acting Depositor.

(Ed. 10-14-'90—500.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.
Superintendent's Office.

Aug. 25 1862

HON. EDWARD D. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Dir:-

I send herewith Assignment for official test this day, viz:-

Two (2) [illegible]

[illegible]

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 25, 1892

W. L. Garrington, Esq.
Mt. Carbondale, Pa

Sir:-

I send you proceeds of light gold coins
received from you by registered mail this day

The coins returned $19.81
Registration fee 10 cts 19.71

Respectfully Yours,

Acting Supt.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 25 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th. 1890, to be approximately

$1,650,000

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent

To

Secretary of the United States.

Washington,

D. C.

E.T.9

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(FORM No. 999.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug- 25th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Mint of the Mint from Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana per letter of advice, dated Aug- 17th 1892

Invoice Weight	oz.	49.845.55
Fine Weight	oz.	49.748.00
Value @ 08364	per oz. fine $	41.609.23

Acting Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

A.T.S.

(FORM No. 202.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug-25th 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Mint from

Zimmermann & Forshay

Aug-22nd 2

		100.254.20
		99.982.04
	0.8360	83.584.99

Acting

A.T.S.

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug- 25th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir

I draw this day on you

No.	11.769	Fourth Nat. Bank N.Y. Atty for Zimmermann & Forshaw	21.584.99
"	11.770	Compania Metalurgica Mexicana	10.609.23
"	11.771	Handy & Harman	48.919.59
"	11.772	Clark Dodge & Co.	68.111.71
"			
"			

in payment for Silver Bullion

Very respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent

(Ed. 12-15-90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

May 27, 1892

Hon. R. O. Land,
Director of the Mint.

Replying to your letter of May 24 asking additional
information in regard to the loss of 1784
coins with a view to an official close of business
day, the coinage has
Nickel Blanks 113,033.10 oz
Brass
A considerable part of the brass blanks upon
the Treasury at Washington have
Preparatory to receipt of Notice of Award for
2 cent nickel coin from same date

I can only say that no instructions of collusion
were communicated by anybody here, and the Customers
were requested to keep an eye on the [illegible] The facts
are these:-

Applications for sample blocks were made by
Hunter & Bro. St. Louis, Mo., Wisconsin Brass Co.,
The Manhattan Supply Co. [illegible] Chemical Hartford
and Underhill [illegible] Hunter, Howard & Brinkerhoff
Supply Co. [illegible] sample blocks.

No bids were received by mail. Hunter & Bro.
St. Louis paid a call Saturday morning
[illegible] but not been able to [illegible]
[illegible] I handed the time to 12:00
P.M. May 15th. when no bids from Hunter & Bro.
Wisconsin Brass Co. or Manhattan Supply Co. having
been received, the bidders [illegible]
the three proposals delivered in person
[illegible]

cost. The work can of course be done here, but at a disadvantage on the score of melting, rolling and cutting. However, with the means in the Institutions I propose for reinforcing it and think that future will cause to bring carriages by your other blanks as have been used for steam boat. I think however, is conjectural, as the effects thereon cannot be ascertained with certainty.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Dec 16th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 1773, favor Clark Dietz & Co., for $20,000.07

" 1774, " Lindy & Farnan, " $33,02.44

" ....., " ....., " $.....

" ....., " ....., " $.....

" ....., " ....., " $.....

" ....., " ....., " $.....

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug-26th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug-19th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	100,849.60
Fine Weight,	ozs.	100,582.33
Value, @ 0.8297	*per oz. fine,* $	83,453.16

Acting Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 27, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, viz:-

Coin (2) Half Eagles (1910) Dec. #44

Very Respectfully

Assistant
Acting Supt.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Aug- 17th 1874

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check---

No. 11,775, favor Kandy & Kannard, for $ 25,284.0
" 11,776, " Com. Kansas City & Co. " $ 10,000.00
" 11,777, " Clark, Ridge & Co. " $ 9,000.00
" ....., " ....., " $ .....
" ....., " ....., " $ .....
" ....., " ....., " $ .....

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Board of the United States Civil Service Commissioners
Washington, D.C.

Aug. 27 1892.

Hon. E. W. Hoke,
Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir,

Referring to the enclosed application of Miss Mattie Mellis, of Missouri, I will thank you to make inquiries to ascertain and return to this Office.

Very Respectfully,

Chas. Eliot

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 27 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th. 1890, to be approximately

$44,000-

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully

To

Treasurer of the United States

Washington

D. C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 27, 1892

Hon. A. B. Matthews,
Asst Assistant
Treasury Dept. Washington D.C.

Sir:-

Respecting the petty bill, #301 on 3rd day of August by "Roller & Shoemaker" on bill heads stamped "Shoemaker & Bach," I beg to say that Roller & Shoemaker were the Contractors for building, and the retirement of Wm. Roller merely changed the firm name. The firm remained responsible, and the firm bond still remains on file in this office. We had some doubt about the sufficiency of title, but as the firm certified the Superintendent that it remained unchanged and responsible, the conclusion was that the stamp of "Shoemaker & Roller" on the bill would not vitiate it.

But if you prefer, we can have a new bill made out, or the over title can be [illegible]

the old one in the receipt which would cure the defect. Any suggestion you may make will be acted upon.

I have sent a copy of your letter to the H. P. Johns Mfg Co. with blank authorization, requesting the Company to execute and return.

The Engineer objects for certain items in bill of Elias Bell, for lumber used. Item 7 is entered on our book. Regretting the delay

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

OFFICE OF

Weeks

Superintendent of
U. S. Mint
Philadelphia Aug. 27 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director of U. S. Mint
Washington D. C.

I have the
honor to report that the approximate amount
of Silver purchased and parted during the
present month is 15.445.87 fine oz. Value
$13.106.91.

Very respectfully
Your Obt Servant

Superintendent

K. M. T.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office

Aug 27th 2

Hon. E. O. Leech.
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose herewith memoranda of Uncurrent Liberty Coins received for recoinage, from Asst. Treasurer U. S. at New York, on Transfer Order No. 22054.

Face Value	$1.000.000.00
Net "	980.204.11
Loss	$ 19.795.89

Very respectfully.

Actg Supt

FORM No. 999

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Dec - 1894

Statement of Silver Bullion received by the U.S. Mint

the Mint from Cin. Treas Circ 5 P.C. Ld.

per letter of advice, dated Dec - 7th 1894

Fineness Weight		74 503.74
Fine Weight		74 407.63
Value @ 0.8364	per Oz. fine $	62.234.54

[Ed. 19-25-90—1,000.]

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

....., 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from .....

per letter of advice, dated ....., 1892

Invoice Weight, ... ozs. 902 12.87

Fine Weight, ... ozs. 795.731

Value, @ .8836 *per oz. fine,* $ 1,150.690.22

.....
Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'80—1,000.]

T.P

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Aug 25th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Cutler Knapp Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug 16th 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50,724.80
Fine Weight,	ozs.	50,591.53
Value @ 0.5303	*per oz. fine,*	$ 41.00784

Saltonstall Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

11.778

11.779

11.780

11.781

in payment for

Respectfully yours,

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

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FORM No. 1 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

Aug 29th 1890

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11,778, favor Clark, Bonge & Co. $ 5,451.27

" 11,779, " Am. Kansas City S. & B. Co. " 4,604.72

" 11,780, " Handy & Harman " 32,423.81

" 11,781, " Compañía Metalúrgica Mexicana " 24,000

" ....., " ..... " .....

" ....., " ..... " .....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

.....

Teller.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug 29 1890

Sir:

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th 1890 to be approximately $ 4,500.00

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully

Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States

Washington

D C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 30, 1872

HON. EDWARD O. LESOR,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, viz:-

Five (2) Dimes Act 1st 1873

Very Respectfully,

Acting Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 30, 1892

Mr. Frederick Walter
Asst. Examiner U.S.
Chicago

Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of Three (3) One Dollar (G.R.) coins which have been issued in excess of quota Dollars supplied to you from the Mint May 27, and to thank you for the return of the same.

Very Respectfully

Coining Department

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Aug-30th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana per letter of advice, dated Aug-22nd 1892

Invoice Weight	ozs.	39,811.50
Fine Weight	ozs.	39,767.93
Value @ 0.8363	per oz. fine	$ 33,257.92

Acting Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

D.S.P.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug- 30th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day, check—

No. 11.782, favor Louisiana Refining Co for $ 9257.91
" 11.783, " Kanady & Carman, " $28,854.07
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

.....
Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug. 30 1892

Sir,

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th. 1890 to be approximately

$58.000

Confirming my telegram of this date

Very Respectfully,

Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States

Washington,

D C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 30, 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to forward herewith tabular Statements of the operations of this Mint during the fiscal year ended June 30, last, as follows:

1. Silver Bullion Purchased
2. " Recoinage
3. Amount & Cost of Silver used in coinage of Standard Dollars
   Under Act of July 1890
4. Ditto " " " " " June 3, 1891
5. Ditto " " " "
6. Minor Coin Blanks Purchased
7. " for Recoinage
8. " Received

These Statements, with those of Operations for

V. B.
S. O. B.
8/30/97

already sent forward, complete the tabular statements for said agency and Reservation for use in your Annual Report. These statements have been carefully compared with the Ledgers and found correct.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug 28, 189 2.

Asst Treas'r U.S.
Chicago.

Please prepare to furnish to Cashier $200,000 in Std Dollars during the month of September.

By Order of Director.

The above coinage will be required for the month of October

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

Aug. 31, 1892.

Sir:-

I send forward coins received for assay test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Half Eagles (½'s) dated 45

Very Respectfully,

Asst Assayer

Acting Supt

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug 31 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th 1890, to be approximately

$25,000—

Confirming my telegram of this date.

Very Respectfully,

Superintendent

To

Treasurer of the United States.

Washington.

D C

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FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Aug – 3 [illegible], 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 1784 favor [illegible] for $16,267.45

" 1785 " [illegible] " $ 7797.03

" ..... " ..... " $ .....

" ..... " ..... " $ .....

" ..... " ..... " $ .....

" ..... " ..... " $ .....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

[signature] Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Aug 31 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to forward a communication from Mr. Chas. E. Barber, Engraver, with the estimate called for in your Letter (C) of Aug 25, inst.

As regards the estimate of cost of hubs and dies, I am informed by Mr. Barber that the cost of finishing a coat (supposing the emblems to be about ordinary), while the cost of dies is taken from our charges for dies for other Mints, based on cost of materials and labor.

The estimate for number of dies needed to strike $500,000 in the denominations named is based on the average wear and destruction of dies at this Mint, taken for a term of years. I trust the information may be satisfactory.

Very Respectfully

Asst Supt
Coining Dept

Form No. 295.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

Mint of the United States.

Philada

Aug 31st 1892

Director of the Mint.

Sir:

Upon examination and count at the close of business on the

31st day of August, 1892 found the moneys in the

hands of the Cashier of this Mint to be as follows:

Gold Bars	$
Gold Coin	2372040
Silver Bars	
Silver Coin	$10333038
Treasury Notes.	1905364
Currency	824090
Minor Coins	30195
Total	$12857687

Acting Superintendent.

Ed. 9-5-82—500.

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Superintendent's Office,

May 21, 1892.

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:

I will thank you to make the endorsed Gft^te 285 drawn by Exchange Bank, Saugatuck Conn. on Chemical Bank New York, payable to my order, and return.

The endorsement seems to have failed to get as usual.

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Sept. 1, 1892.

The Weigh Clerk

Pay for silver across Counter 83 cents per fine ounce.

for Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Sept. 1, 1892.

The Assistant Clerk

Pay for silver across Counter 83 cents per fine ounce.

for Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 1, 1892

Sir:-

I send forward coins received for special test this day, namely:

Two (2) Eagles Dec 1879

Very Respectfully Yours

Acting Supt

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept 1st 1892

Sir

In compliance with your telegram of this date I send herewith a Silver and Minor Proof set of 1892.

Very respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Sept. 1 1892

Sir

I have the honor to report checks drawn this day on the Assistant Treasurer United States at New York, in payment for Silver Bullion purchased under the Act of July 14th, 1890, to be approximately

$43.000

Confirming my telegram of this date.

Very Respectfully,

Superintendent.

S.

Treasurer of the United States.

Washington,

D. C.

L.T.P.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Sept. 1st, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated Aug-22nd, 1892

Invoice Weight	ozs.	200.875.99
Fine Weight	ozs.	200.611.56
Value, @ 0.8363 *per oz. fine*	$	167.771.43

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

	Invoice Weight	Mint Weight	Value
Delivered in Aug-	174.386.74	174.152.25	145.643.51
" " Sept.-	26.489.25	26.459.31	22.127.92
Total	200.875.99	200.611.56	167771.43

A.S.S.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 15, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11,786, favor Kanchy & Kannan, for $22,127.92
" 11,787, " Am. Kansas City S.R.Co. " $21,020.35
" ____, " ____, " $____
" ____, " ____, " $____
" ____, " ____, " $____
" ____, " ____, " $____

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(EA. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 1st, 1893.

Hon. E. O. Leech,

Director of the Mint,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

Kindly endorse the enclosed drafts to my order and return:-

Bk. of Wavelond, Md. No. 551. on Chase Nat. Bk. N.Y. $ 25.00

Lilly Nat. Bk, Akron, O. No. 107955. on Impo. & Nat. Bk. N.Y. 15000

Nat. Exc. Bk. Boston, Mass. No. 6380. on Nat. Park Bk. N.Y. 100.00

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

September 1st 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech,

Director of the Mint,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to state that I have just returned to the city after a most delightful visit for a month in the Blue Ridge.

Messrs. Wharton and Goss happened in just after my return, and seemed anxious to know what would be the outcome of the minor coinage blank matter. I told them of your seeming determin ation to have the blanks made here. The whole matter was discussed and Mr. Goss, who is one of the most amiable of men, appeared to fear that you had some feeling against his company. I assured him that I was satisfied that you had not, but that you were a good deal staggered at the very great difference between their last bid and the bid recently made. If you will recollect that at the time of the '90 bids Mr. Goss was exceedingly anxious to get the contract and determined to secure it, even if his company lost money, taking the chances of a fall in the prices of material. The bids of the other parties at that time were very little less than the bids this time. The Scovill Co.,'s, bid is

just about the same as Merchant & Co's was at that time. If Mr. Goss had not been so anxious in 1890 and bid as Mr. Wharton wanted him to bid at that time, the discrepency in the bids would not have been so great.

I believe that if you will permit the old contract to be completed, the Scovill Co. will complete it at the old price provided you will accept their new bid for any blanks that may be needed afterwards. This would give us about 200,000 pounds of bronze and 51,000 pounds of nickel at the old prices. I dont know that they will do this only gathered it from the conversation as it was carried along.

Trusting that you are in good health after your sojourn on the Maine coast, I am,

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

O. B. Babyhell

Superintendent.

Mr. Goss is here on some business with the Arsenal, and will be in again in the morning I might feel him on the above if you think wise - a telegram would reach me in time

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept 2, 1892

A. Stuart, Esq
Cairo.

Sir:-

The Director fixes the average of silver for current months as follows:

Std Dollars	$200.000
Quarters	300.000
Dimes	200.000

It is important that this should be done.

Respectfully,
O. Backhouse
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 2, 1892.

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for Official test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Std Dollars dated 1878

Very Respectfully

O.C. Risley
Superintendent

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office,

September 2d 1892

Sir

Your letter of the 1st inst enclosing $1.20 in stamps for one silver proof set forwarded on same date, has been received.

Very respectfully

A. E. Roberts

Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C.

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FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Sept 12, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11,788, favor Ord. Kansas City Smelting Co. for $4,624.04

" ____, " ____, " $____

" ____, " ____, " $____

" ____, " ____, " $____

" ____, " ____, " $____

" ____, " ____, " $____

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

[signature]
Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

P.S.S.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 2nd, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Cen. Kansas City S. & R. Co.

per letter of advice, dated Aug. 22nd, 1892

Invoice Weight, . . . ozs. 50.186.27

Fine Weight, . . . ozs. 50.125.37

Value, @ 0.8363 per oz. fine, $ 41.919.84

Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

	Invoice Weight	Mint Weight	Value
Delivered in August.	19.479.64	19.451.69	16.267.45
" September	30.706.63	30.673.68	25.652.39
Total	50.186.27	50.125.37	41.919.84

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 12, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins issued for special test this day, namely:
Two (2) Dimes Act 1/29

Very Respectfully

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

Superintendent's Office,

Sept 3 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director U. S. Mint
Washington
D. C.

Sir.

I have the honor to report that the approximate amount of Silver parting & purchases during the current month ending July 14th 1890 as assayed to date, is 1368.84 fine ounces. Value $1069.92.

Very Respectfully
Your Obdt. Servt
C. E. Bailey Asst
Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Sept. 3 1892

Hon. E. H. Nebeker
Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Complying with your request for a report of the nature and value of a gold coin sent to you from Kansas City S. Dep't & Savings Bank, I have to say that the piece is a counterfeit of low-grade gold, assaying 768 fine. The value - $3.55 - has been forwarded to the bank.

Very Respectfully

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.
Superintendent's Office.

Sept. 3, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:

Please send me a blank
Aff. to 34 Patent Rule covering and
attached thereto Assistant's Report and
return to me.

Respectfully,
O. C. Pollock
Superintendent

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J.S.S.

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 3rd, 1894.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11,789, favor Nesslage, Colgate & Co., for $ 23,000.00
" 11,790, " (Fourth Nat. Bank for account of Zimmermann & Forshay &c.) " $ 19,000.00
" ..... " ..... " $ .....
" ..... " ..... " $ .....
" ..... " ..... " $ .....
" ..... " ..... " $ .....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

O. C. Pritchett
Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

Sept. 3 1892

Treasurer U.S.

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Forty-two Elec today"

Very Respectfully

O.C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Sept. 3 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The Cashier has but about $1000 in treasury, suits available for Coal purchases of silver.

It may be well to replenish his stock.

Very Respectfully

O.C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Sept. 6, 1892

The Assistant Clerk

Pay for silver across counter 83 4/5 cents per ounce fine.

for Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Sept. 6, 1892

The Weigh Clerk

Pay for silver across counter 83 4/5 cents per ounce fine.

for Supt.

The Mint of the United States, at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 6 1862

Hon. H. C. Mathews,
First Comptroller of the Treasury
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to forward the "Authorization" of F. Fr. Johns. Mfg Co. at Jersey, request, duly executed

Very Respectfully

Robt Patterson
Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Sept. 6 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for Specie Assay this day, viz:-

For (2) Stand Dollars Act Feb. 28.

Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 6, 1897

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose the explanation of Mr. ~~Eckfeldt~~ assayer, touching the loss on shipment by Iron Mountain, and No. 157 from St. Louis (Morning Sept 6th P)

In future there will be sent to the bureau, as you verbally suggested on your late visit to this Mint, a sample of all ~~bullion~~ bullion having short assays

Any shortage in weight of such bullion will be verified by the Assayer and Chief Clerk, from the bars themselves

Very Respectfully

A. Patterson
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Assayer's Department,

September 6th, 1892

Sir

In shipment No. 4 from Denver two of bars in said shipment were short in fineness one half thousandth, and one bar was one half thousandth full.

I am informed there was a shortage in the weight of the bars, as compared with the invoice.

In shipment No. 187 from St. Louis (this entire invoice of bars was melted), there was a shortage of .70 Gr.

Very respectfully

Jacob B. Eckfeldt

Assayer

Hon. C. C. Rostyfell Supt.

Sept. 6 92

The Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Windy Glen to-day."

Very Respectfully

O.C. Babyhead

Superintendent

A.S.P.

(Form No. 298.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Sept. 6th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Zimmerman and Horstig per letter of advice dated Sept. 2nd 1892

Invoice Weight		30.691.60
Fine Weight		30.635.47
Value @ .08365	per oz. fine	25.620.57

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-91—1,000.]

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FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Dec. 6th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check

No. 11.791, favor (Fourth Nat. Bank & F. G. Attfield / Zimmermann & Forshay) $ 6,626.57

" 11.792 " Hessler Colgate & Co " $20,957.61

" 11.793 " Clark, Dodge & Co. " $62,000.00

" ____, " ____ " $ ____

" ____, " ____ " $ ____

" ____, " ____ " $ ____

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

[signature]

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

September 7th 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech,

Director of the Mint,

Washington, D C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to submit the following:-

Many additional improvements have been introduced into this Mint during the last fiscal year-- still further carrying out my purpose, to place the Mint at Philadelphia in the most efficient condition possible. By continuing the extension over the Adjusting room further east, so as to include the roof over the Engraving Department, a fine room has been secure for the use of the Engraver as a place for softening his die steel and hardening the dies after completion. For this purpose gas furnaces, supplied by the American Gas Furnace Company of New York, have been introduced, and the work greatly facilitated.

The cramped dark, disagreeable vault-like rooms heretofore occupied in the basement for this work, will give room greatly needed at that point.

The machinery in the Rolling room has been rearranged, so as to make available all the space of the room. This required additional shafting which has been placed on the ceiling of this

room. The machinery now being driven from above, instead of from below; the shafting on the ceiling of the Engine room being relieved and where not needed removed. Additional self feeding cutting presses and draw benches have been added.

The Assayers Department has been afforded better facilities for reaching the room built in the roof over the Laboratory, by the erection of a stairway over the west main stairway.

A new and much more desirable topping press has been placed in the Melting room.

The Machine Shop has been supplied with one 16" lathe, and one Bush die grinding machine with a number of minor tools.

The Cabinet has been overhauled, cleaned, repaired and freshly painted. The cases of coins freshly and distinctly marked and bookshelves added where many valuable volumes belonging to the Library find a safe resting place.

The rooms generally, the building, grounds and machinery have been kept in repair, and all proper facilities afforded for the better carrying on of the work of the Mint.

Other improvements are contemplated and underway, looking to the relief of the crowded basement, which when completed will afford more room for the storage of silver bars, the existing vaults for which are fast filling up.

E.O.L. No.3, 9/7/92.

Many little devices looking to the health, comfort and convenience of the office clerks and employes have been introduced. The alterations of rooms and the additional space acquired, as well as the repairing, painting and overhauling generally has been done by the force employed in the Mint, and at a very slight expense.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

A. L. Barbyhell

Superintendent.

Sept. 7 92

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Cars and Seven Elven to-day."

Very Respectfully

D.C. Dubyshell

Superintendent.

2.59

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Sept. 7th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11.794, favor Clark, Dodge & Co., for $ 21.373,67
" 11.795, " Kandy & Hannan, " $155,000,00
" 11.796, " Heseltine, Bolgate & Co., " $ 30.559,62
" ....., " ....., " $ .....
" ....., " ....., " $ .....
" ....., " ....., " $ .....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Sept 7th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Kerdge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept 2nd 1892

Invoice Weight,	oz.	100,035.80
Fine Weight,	oz.	99,681.57
Value, @ .8364	per oz. fine, $	83,373.07

A. Loudy Rhoads
Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

Sept. 7th 1792

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you make requisition on the Secty of the Treasury in my favor, for the sum of Fifteen Hundred (1500) Dollars, payable from the appropriation for "Storage of Silver Bullion Act July 14. 1790", to aid in making the expenses of this Mint, on that account, for the current month.

Very Respectfully

Sir

Your Obt Servt

Hon E. D. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D.C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office

Sept 7th 1872

Sir;

I have the honor to request that you make requisition on the Secty of the Treasury in my favor, for the sum of Two Thousand (2,000) Dollars, payable from the appropriation for "Parting & Refining Bullion," to aid in meeting the expenses of this Mint on that account for the current month.

Very Respectfully

Supt

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D.C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.
Superintendent's Office.

Sept 7th 1792

Sir:

I have the honor to request that you make requisition on the Secty of the Treasury in my favor for the sum of Three Thousand (3.000) Dollars, payable from the appropriation for "Coinage of Silver Bullion Act July 14th 1790" to aid in meeting the expenses of this Mint on that ap. for the current month.

Very Respectfully

D. Rittenhouse

Supt

Tho. E. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D.C.

Philadelphia
Sept 7th 92

Philadelphia
Thirty one thousand, five hundred
(31.500) Dollars

Sept 30th
92

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Phila	3.500 —	
"	25.000 —	
"	3.000	
	$31.500 —	

Ordinary Fund.
Treasurer

O.J.

The Mint of the United States in Philadelphia.
Superintendent's Office.

Sept 2nd 2

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I forward today by mail, my Ordinary and Refining Accounts for the month of Aug with the vouchers for same. The Account for Storage of Silver Bullion Act of July 14th 1890 will be forwarded as soon as vouchers are complete.

Very respectfully

Supt.

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Sept. 8, 1892.

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,

Sir:-

Please make the within
dft #25. Fairmount Savings Bank
drawn, Chandler Beck & Co. $20—
to Joseph Leech, Philada, and oblige.

Very Respectfully

Joseph Leech
Acting Supt.

Sept. 8 92

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I forward coins reserved for assay this day, namely:-

Lbs (2) Std Dollars Act 1891.

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

Sept. 8 92

Hon. Samuel F. Thayer,
Legation U.S.
The Hague

Sir:-

I have sent forward to your address a money order No. 19944 for 14. Fl. 68 as your request is heard for coins of the Netherlands, just received, and desire to thank you for your courtesy.

Our curator is much disappointed that the 10 fl. and 2½ fl, together with the bronze, are not of the coinage current this year, or of the reign of Wilhelmina. But it is assumed that no gold or bronze, or 2½ fl pieces have been struck during present Regency.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

O.B.J.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office

Sept 8th 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint,
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I forward to day by mail my Acct for Storage of Silver Bullion Act of July 14/90 for the month of Aug 1892.

Very respectfully

Acting Supt

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Sept. 8, 1852.

Dear Miss Dales-

In the absence of the Superintendent I forward you a check for $40 for your stipend salary, and hope it may reach you in time to be of service.

I regret to say that Lily is a long-sation, and that Mr. Ott has already engaged some three weeks of the time. He has not taken the vacation allowed, but will do so anticipating and to this year's stipend. It might be said, I might be bitter; so let us obliviate ourselves with the evils we know and cannot fly, before falling upon worse.

We all hope that you have profited by your contact with the world and its cool breezes, and shall be glad to see you when you arrive. U. S. Mint Philadelphia, Lily as ever

Truly & sincerely for Supt

Dieting D.

Sept. 8 92

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to send forward gold assay slips from Boise & Denver bars, together with the letter of Mr. Eckfeldt referring to a verbal communication from you during your late visit.

Very respectfully

Acting Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Assayer's Department.

Septr 8th, 1892.

Sir

Will you have the enclosed Gold Assay slips, from Boise City and Denver bars sent to the Mint Bureau, for comparison in the Assays; as suggested by the Director of the Mint when in conversation on the subject this present week. —

Very respectfully
Jacob B. Eckfeldt
Assayer

Hon. O.C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

Sept: 8 92

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The enclosures came to me in reply to a communication from the editor of Johnson's Cyclopedia during the absence of Col. Bosworth on vacation. The former letter asked if anything could be added to the Mint article in last edition of that work, to which I replied that as the Institution no copy of the work I could not say; but presumed that the article could be revised and improved —

The editor sends accompanying papers to me as Acting Superintendent, not knowing the etiquette of the Department. But it seems to me that any revision of an Encyclopedia article for public

E.O.P. 9/8/97

instruction, should have the question of highest validity in the line of subject matter. I think that such an article as the Editor wants should proceed from the head of the Bureau, and be signed with his initials. Though I have not examined the letter you sent probably you can improve it and add to it.

His offer is fair enough, and you may desire to avail yourself of it. As Col. Bodyfelt is now in Washington, and may be there when this reaches you, I beg to leave it in your hands. The matter had passed from memory when this package arrived, as no record was made of former correspondence, and the affair was not communicated to the Superintendent on his return, the presumption being that the Editor would apply to the Chief of the Bureau.

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

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Sept. 8 92

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Bear and Eighty-two Blue to-day."

Very respectfully

Acting Director

A.T.P.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Sept. 8th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Nesslage, Bolgar & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 7th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	100,863.75
Fine Weight,	ozs.	100,658.79
Value, @ 08364	per oz. fine $	84,191.02

Eckfeldt Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct 8th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11,797, favor Nesslage, Ulgate & Co., for $ 9,673.79
" 11,798, " Handy & Harman, " $154,655.12
" 11,799, " Cor. Kansas City S.W. Co. " $ 17,556.77
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Sept. 8 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir-

Referring to your letter of Sept. 7. inst. relative to base metals found in the copper of the alloy of gold coins, I beg to say, that the cases have been submitted to the Melter & Refiner, and to the Assayer, and by them considered.

Mr. Eckfeldt informs me that he has always known that Baltimore Copper showed traces of arsenic and antimony but had not determined the percentage. Dr. Leeds thinks the copper will do to alloy silver, and suggests that the Baltimore house be asked to furnish us some of electrolyte copper for gold alloy. I have sent a copy of your letter to the Baltimore house, with a request that 2000 lbs of pure copper for alloying gold coin be shipped to this

Sept 10 1891
Sept 8 1891
Sept 7 1891

Sept 10 in the line of your suggestion in the last paragraph of your letter of Sept. 7

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Sept. 8 1892

Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to hand you a letter from Mr. Chas. E. Barber, Engraver, in which he explains certain samples designs for reverse of the Columbian coin. I send you by Express this day, samples referred to in his letter, and trust that the package may reach you in good order.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

B.S.P.

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FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Feb'y 9th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 17, favor E. R. Cowperthwaite, Cashier, for $40,000.00

" ..., " ..., " $...

" ..., " ..., " $...

" ..., " ..., " $...

" ..., " ..., " $...

" ..., " ..., " $...

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

A. Kingsley Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'80—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Sept. 9 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins received for official test this day, viz:

Five (5) Sixpences Act 1/32

Very respectfully

Acting Supt

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

Sept. 9 1892

Treasurer U.S.

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Eighty-nine Elev to-day."

Very respectfully

Acting Supt.

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FORM No. 86 a.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

Sept. 14 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 11800 favor Landy & Kaman for $645.453

" 13001 " Lon. Kansas Smelting Co " $

" " " $

" " " $

" " " $

in payment for Silver, Bullion.

Respectfully yours

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 10, 1892

Hon. J. Sloan, Esq
Comptroller
Dear Sir:-

The Treasurer U.S. has drawn upon this Mint for $10.000 half dollars to be forwarded him as early as possible.

Please hasten the coinage & issue as to ship early next week.

Respectfully Yours

A. Loudy Mint
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 10, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send herewith coins received for assay this day, namely:-

$100 (2) Gold Dollars Oct 1853

Very respectfully

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent.

U.S.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
Superintendent's Office,
Sept. 10th, 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director U.S. Mint
Washington
D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that the approximate amount of Silver purchased and fixated during the current month (act July 14, 1890, as assayed to date is 330,000 fine ounces
Value $279,401.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servt.
A. Loudenslager
Superintendent

E.T.B.

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Feb. 10th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13,002, favor Ocn. Kansas City S. & R. Co. for $ 8,053.97
" 13,003 " Kunhardt & Harman " $32,601.86
" 13,004 " Tesslage, Bolgah & Co. " $18,000.00
" " " " $
" " " " $
" " " " $

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

D. A. Rosenthal

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

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SEP 12 1892
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:- I wish thank you to make
the enclosed draft payable
to my order, and return.
Very Respectfully

C C Graves
Superintendent

A.S.P.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Dec 12, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No 13005, favor Seebacher, Colgate & Co., for $ 6 29.57
" 13006, " Landes & Herman, " $ 3,774.66
" 13007, " Chas. Kansas City & P.R.Co. " $
" , " , " $
" , " , " $
" , " , " $

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

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(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Sept. 12th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 7th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	75,738.35
Fine Weight,	ozs.	75.065.44
Value @ .8300	per oz. fine,	$ 63.256.30

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 12, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Fifty-one cents today."

Very respectfully

[illegible]
Superintendent

Form 93.

DISBURSING OFFICER'S NOTICE OF EXAMINATION OF STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

(Post-Office address) U. S. Mint
Philadelphia Sept. 12th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York, N. Y.

Sir:

I have received your statement of my disbursing account dated August 31st 1892 and find the balance therein reported to be correct, viz: $ 674.181.44

I have also examined the numbers, dates, and amounts of the debit and credit entries therein reported, and find that the same agree with my records

Respectfully yours,

O. C. Deckyhead
Superintendent

N. B.—This letter should be signed by the Disbursing Officer ONLY, and be used for no other business than that relating to the examination of statements of account.

[Ex. 10-13-90—5,000.]

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Sept. 13, 1892

The Weight Clerk

Assayer purchasing
rate for silver across counter to 83¾
cents per fine ounce

O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Sept. 13, 1892.

The Weight Clerk
Assayer purchasing
rate for silver across counter to 83¾
cents per fine ounce

O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept 13, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Quarter Dollars dated 1854

Very respectfully

O. C. Darby Bell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 13, 1892.

Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir-

I have the honor to forward this day estimate for this Mint for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, in compliance with your request of last mail.

If possible I would like to increase estimate for Contingent Expenses to $800— the old figure. I would also like to urge the increase of salary of Chief Clerk to $250. But my understanding of your request is that the appropriation of current fiscal year should be the basis of estimate.

Very Respectfully,

A. E. Burbidge
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 13, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made a part:-

"Fifty-two Eleven to-day."

Very Respectfully
O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

A.T.P.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Feb. 13th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13,008, favor Clark, Dodge & Co., for $32,000.00
" 13,009, " Sandy & Kaman, " $ 5,729.13
" 13,010, " Cen. Kansas City S. & L. Co. " $11,841.94
" , " , " $
" , " , " $
" , " , " $

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

[signature]
Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

A.T.S.

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(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Oct. 13th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Chi. Kansas City & G.B. Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 5th, 1892

Fineness Weight	ozs.	49.723.00
Fine Weight	ozs.	49.665.80
Value @ 0.8358	per oz. fine	$ 41.510.68

O.C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 14, 1892

MAJ. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, namely:-

100 (2) Dimes Dec 135

Very Respectfully,

A. M. Bayard
Superintendent.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Sept. 14 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent yesterday is hereby respectfully rendered:

"Sixty-three Cents to-day"

Very Respectfully

O.C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

Form No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Oct. 14th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13011, favor Clark, Dodge & Co., for $11,209.22
" 13012, " Messlage, Ortga & Co. " $19,000.00
" 13013, " Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana $33,000.00
" " " $
" " " $
" " " $

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

[signature]
Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Dec. 14th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Kandt & Kaman

per letter of advice, dated Dec. 5th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	450.496.79
Fine Weight,	ozs.	449.891.14
Value, @ .85358	*per oz. fine,*	$ 376.019.00

O. B. Bosbyshell

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Nov. 14th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Chas. Tomas City & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Nov. 7th, 1892.

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50.025.40
Fine Weight,	ozs.	49,665.01
Value, @ [illegible] per oz. fine,	$	41.770.75

[signature]

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

September 14th 1894

Sir:—

Enclosed herewith I transmit the oath of office of Benjamin F. Roberts recently appointed a Coiner in this Mint.

Very respectfully,

B F Roberts

Superintendent.

Hon. E. O. LEECH,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D. C.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

September 14th 1892

Sir:—

Enclosed herewith I transmit the oath of office of William Gibson ——— recently appointed a Workman in this Mint.

Very respectfully,

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent.

Hon. E. O. LEECH,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D. C.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

September 14th 1892.

Sir.—

Enclosed herewith I transmit the oath of office of Thomas G. Hall recently appointed Night Watchman in this Mint.

Very respectfully,

A. O. Bailey Chief
Superintendent.

Hon. E. O. LEECH,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D. C.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

September 14th 1892

Sir:—

Enclosed herewith I transmit the oath of office of E. Reese Moore recently appointed a Workman, in this Mint.

Very respectfully,

C. Bixby Reed

Superintendent.

Hon. E. O. LEECH,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D. C.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

September 14th 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech,

Director of the Mint,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have received a letter from Mr. C. P Goss, Treasurer of the Scovill Mfg. Co., making a formal application to manufacture the medals required by the Columbian Exposition Managers. I wrote him that he had better apply direct to the department. He also desires to be consulted, or rather, would take it as a favor if any inquiries arise from any of the South American Governments for the manufacture of coin, to be recommended as possessing the facilities for that kind of work.

Very respectfully,

Your obt. sev't.,

A. E. Patterson

Superintendent.

(No. 108 a.)

Mint of the United States,

Philadelphia

Sept. 14, 1892

To the Director of the Mint,

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Inclosed herewith please find the following original Certificate of Deposit issued by Asst. Treasurer U. S., at Philada, for money deposited by me as follows, viz:

No. 8201 for $16.059.61, on account of Unexpended balance Appropriation

No. , for $, on account of for Ordinary Incidentals

No. , for $, on account of Expenses, Assay Office

No. , for $, on account of Coined June 30 1892

No. , for $, on account of

for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1892

Respectfully yours,

D. E. Kelly Supt.

Ed. 10-14-90—500.

O/S f.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 14th 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I forward by mail today my Supplemental Ordinary Account for the month of June 1892.

Very respectfully
D. B. Bosbyshell
Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 15, 1892

Treasurer U. S.
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Beer and thirty-one Dew, to-day."

Very Respectfully

A. E. Roberts

Superintendent.

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FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Sept 15th 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13014, favor	Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana	$	11,635.16
" 13015 "	Nesslage, Colgate & Co	" $	18,668.22
" 13016 "	Ann, Exchange Nat. Bank N.Y.	$	12,000.00
" 13017 "	Clark, Dodge & Co	" $	29,000.00
"		$	
"		" $	

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

[signature]
Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

A.S.S.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 15th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 5th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	53,496.00
Fine Weight,	ozs.	53,404.11
Value, @ 0.8358	*per oz. fine,*	$ 44,635.16

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

A. T. P.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Sept. 15th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Assets of the Mint from Messlage, Bigate & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 9th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	oz.	50,142.48
Fine Weight,	oz.	50,049.83
Value, @ 0.83354	per oz. fine, $	41,811.62

D. C. Dunbyshire
Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 15 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward Coins received for Special Test this day, namely:-

Two Half Dollars Del 1136

Very Respectfully,

O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office

Sept. 15th 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint

Sir;

Your despatch acd. - I fear possibly my despatch relative to Brown's Annealing process may have been misunderstood. Brown wants $3000 and $500 for furnace - You offer $2500 and $500 - a difference of $500 between us. This difference is what I wanted to know if you would agree to. We annual 3 or 4 tons of much silver as gold, and as he agreed to take within $500 of what you bid me to settle on, I thought possibly you would not object to this desire - Patent and all to be properly assigned to the Mint service.

Very respectfully Your
O. C. Darby Asst Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 15 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

Replying to your telegram of even date relative to output of subsidiary coins, I have to say that the deliveries of such coins to cashier since the 1st inst. have been $91.000, of which about fifteen thousands in halves and dimes remain in stock. But the last order was paid to-day.

In addition $196.000 in Std. Dollars have been delivered and mostly shipped to Treasurer's Order. The delivery of subsidiary silver goes on daily, and I think the assignment will be met very nearly by the 30th.

Very Respectfully,

A. B. Farquhar

Superintendent

A.T.S.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Sept. 16th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day sight

No. 13,018, favor Nesslage, Colgate & Co. for $ 3,988.74
" 13,019, " American Exchg Nat. Bank 49,360.49
" 13,020, " Clark, Dodge & Co. " 37,277.31
" 13,021, " Kandy & Kaman " 50,000.00
" ____, " ____ " $ ____
" ____, " ____ " $ ____

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

J. C. Kinsey
Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
Superintendent's Office

Sept. 16 1892

Steamer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official.

"Bear and fortypence Bluestring

Very Respectfully

D.L.

Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 17 1892

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special assay this day, namely:-

Two (2) Std Dollars Del #137
Two (2) Dimes " " 138

Very Respectfully

D. B. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 17, 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to send forward contract with Messrs. Brown & McBarron for annealing Pieces, together with Licenses duly executed, and formula necessary for operating the Process.

Acting upon your Letter of Sept. 16, informing me that you would pay Messrs. Brown & McBarron the sum of Three Thousand (3000) Dollars for the right to employ said Process "in the Mint service of the United States" I have closed the contract on those terms. This payment covers the furnace erected, as your offer, in the light of the contract, appears to me.

I would respectfully suggest that the sum be paid from unexpended appropriation for Ordinary

2 M. R.
S. O. R.
9/17/92

Incidental Expenses for fiscal year ended June 30, 1892, it properly standing as a liability against said appropriation under contract date. A hydraulic press for striking Medals is absolutely necessary, and can be had for out of appropriation for current year.

Very Respectfully

D. S. Baby Bell

Asst Secretary

P.S. Mr. Brown has telegraphed his Atty at Washington to furnish you with complete copies of the papers relating to the Process, which includes the formula.

C. B. 9/17

A.T.P.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Sept. 17th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13022,	favor	Handy & Harman	for	$57,718.75
" 13023,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	"	$9,899.57
" 13024,	"	American Exchange Nat. Bank &c.	"	$35,178.49
" 13025,	"	Nesslage, Oelgate & Co.	"	$13,000.00
"	"	.....	"	$.....
"	"	.....	"	$.....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

September 17, 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director of the U.S. Mint
Washington D.C.

I have the honor
to report, that the approximate amount of Silver
Purchased and Coined during the present Month is
5.287.56 fine oz. Value $4.529.60.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
Oliver Bosbyshell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 19, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forwards coins reserved for assay test this day, namely:-

1500 Dimes Dec 739

Very respectfully

Assayer

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Sept. 19, 1892.

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Received twenty thousand Hunting"

Very Respectfully

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Sept. 19th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from American Exch'g Nat. Bank N.Y.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 14th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	85,918.25
Fine Weight,	ozs.	85,833.45
Value, @ 0.8362	per oz. fine, $	71,773.92

Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Sept. 19th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Treasury for the Mint from American Exchg Nat. Bank N.Y.

per letter of advice dated Sept. 14th 1892

Invoice Weight		84.864.25
Fine Weight		84.785.90
Value @ 08370	per oz. fine $	70.965.79

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Sept. 19th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from American Exchg Nat. Bank N.Y.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 16th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	27.971.75
Fine Weight,	ozs.	27.943.43
Value, @ 0.8338	per oz. fine, $	23,299.23

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Sept. 19th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Seebage, Colgate & Co

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 9th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	oz.	50,036.32
Fine Weight,	oz.	49,923.93
Value, @ 0.8358	per oz. fine $	41,726.42

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Dec 6th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13026, favor Lesslie & Co. for $ 1,751 49
" 13027, " Landy & Harman, " $46,216.50
" 13028, " American Exch'g Nat. Bank " $17,499.96
" 13029, " Clark, Dodge & Co. " $55,000.00
" , " , " $
" , " , " $

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 20, 1892.

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:—

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, viz:—

Two Trial Pieces Act 1/40

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

J.T.S.

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Sept. 10th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13,030, favor Clark, Dodge & Co., for $34,161.34

" 13,031, " American Exch'g Nat'l Bank, " $3,269.39

" 13,032, " Handy & Harman, " $44,923.65

" 13,033, " Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co., " $15,000.00

" 13,034, " Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana, " $19,000.00

" ....., " ....., " $.....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

L.T.?

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Sept. 20th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 12th 1892

Invoice Weight,	oz.	100,111.60
Fine Weight,	oz.	99,737.82
Value @ 0.8378	per oz. fine $	83,560.35

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

A.T.P.

(Form No. 280.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Sept. 20th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 12th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	oz.	50,857.50
Fine Weight,	oz.	50,698.51
Value @ 0.8353	per oz. fine, $	42,500.56

Leeming Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

A.T.S.

(Form No. 209.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Sept. 20th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from American Exch'g Nat. Bank N.Y.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 16th 1892

Invoice Weight	ozs	13.533.00
Fine Weight	ozs	13,520.56
Value @ 0,8335	per oz. fine $	11.269.39

Superintendent

[Ed 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 20, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Bear and Fifteen Elev, to-day."

Very Respectfully

Superintendent
Assay Dept.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 21, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Quarter Dollars Dec 144

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

A.S.S.

(Form No. 289.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Sept. 21st, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Bureau of the Mint from Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana per letter of advice dated Sept. 14th, 1892

Fineness Weight,	oz.	31.470,90
Fine Weight,	oz.	31.431,85
Value @ .8368	per oz. fine $	26.302,17

Acting Superintendent.

[Eg. 12-15-90—1,000.]

A.T.S.

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The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Sept. 21st 2

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Mint

the Mint from Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.

per Letter of advice dated Sept. 14th 2

Fineness Weight		24.970.51
Fine Weight		24.922.76
Value @ 0.8368	per oz. fine	20.855.36

Acting Superintendent

[GPO 12-15-91—1,000]

1.79

13.035	Compañía Petalera Peruana	7.302.17
13.036	Cía. Kansas Silver 98 Co.	[illegible]
13.037	Candy & Carman	24.197.31
13.038	Candy & Carman	55.000.00
13.039	Clark Rose & Co.	21.000.00
13.040	Nesslage Bryak & Co.	[illegible]

A.T.P.

FORM No. 86. 4.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Dec. 21st, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day sight—

No. 13,035,	favor	Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana	$ 7,302.17
" 13,036,	"	Cen. Kansas City & S.R. Co.	$ 5,855.34
" 13,037,	"	Handy & Harman	$ 24,197.31
" 13,038	"	Handy & Harman	$ 55,000.00
" 13,039	"	Clarke, Dodge & Co.	$ 21,000.00
" 13,040	"	Nesslage, Bolgate & Co.	$ 8,000.00

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 21, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Received twenty-four Eles to-day."

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 22, 1892.

The Weigh Clerk

The purchasing rate for silver across counter is 86½ cents per fine ounce.

Acting Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 22, 1892.

The Assistant Clerk

The purchasing rate for silver across counter is 86½ cents per fine ounce.

Acting Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 22, 1892

Hon. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day viz:-

Two (2) Dimes Oct 1892

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 22, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Ninety-three Cents-day."

Very Respectfully,

Acting Supt.

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(Form No. 229.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Sept. 22nd 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 14th 1892

Invoice Weight,	oz.	50,334.20
Fine Weight,	oz.	50,263.89
Value @ 0.8373	per oz. fine.	$ 42,085.95

Roting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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FORM No. 88 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Sept. 12th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir

I draw this day check—

No.	3041, favor	Kerridge, Bogart & Co.	for $ 3.501.71
"	3042 "	Carter & Kerman	$ 158.42
"	3043 "	Handy & Kerman	$ 20.03.47
"	3044 "	Kerr & Bridge & Co.	$ 26473.93
"	3045 "	American Exch'g Nat. Bank	$ 17.487.20
"			$

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 23, 1892

Sir:-

I send forward coins assayed for specie test this day, viz:-

Sos (2) Quarters Dec. #143

Very Respectfully

Melting Expert

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

March 23, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Bearcat fountain Elm to-day."

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Oct. 24th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from American Exchange Nat. Bank

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 19th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	25,626.00
Fine Weight,	ozs.	25,000.37
Value, @ 0.8370 *per oz. fine*	$	21,427.51

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The delay in forwarding this contract was caused by the fact that I notified Clark Dodge & Co. to complete the same but they have failed to do so to date.

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United States

MINT OF THE UNITED STATES

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Oct. 23rd 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 7th 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	99.008.10
Fine Weight,	ozs.	98.620.91
Value, @ 0.8364	per oz. fine, $	82.486.53

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

A.T.P.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 13th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint, from Carter & Carman

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 14th 1892

Invoice Weight, } ozs. 201.050.32

Fine Weight, ozs. 200.790.85

Value, @ 0.8368 per oz. fine $ 168.021.78

Acting Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

B.S.S.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Feb. 23rd, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No.	13,046	favor	American Exch'g Nat. Bank	$ 10,940.41
"	13,047	"	Sandy & Carman	$ 14,248.68
"	13,048	"	Sandy & Carman	$ 29,068.01
"	13,049	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	$ 29,702.25
"	13,050	"	Com. Kansas City C. & B. Co.	$ 8,000.00
"	13,051	"	Nesslage, Bolgiak & Co.	$ 22,000.00

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Sept. 23, 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter of Sept 22, inst. relative to alleged error in fineness stated in Assay of St Louis bars, I have to say that the original invoice states the fineness of Bar #74 as 963/1000. & assay proves the fineness to be 963/1000. It is possible that the invoice sent the Assayer from St. Louis has the figures transposed.

The shortage arises from the low fineness of bar #295, it falling two points. Six assays were made with identical results; but as directed by the Director of the Mint, the Coiner cant clip from this bar to Mr. Eckfeldt for his decision.

I have not yet received from Mr. Eckfeldt

Very respectfully

Superintendent.

Philadelphia
Sept 23d 92

Philadelphia
Thirteen Thousand Dollars

June 20th

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$13,000—
$13,000—

Preliminary Fees.

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

....., 189.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from .....

per letter of advice, dated ..... 189.

Fine Weight,	ozs.	
Fine Weight,	ozs.	
Value @	per oz. fine	$

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Philadelphia, ... 18..

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from .....

per letter of advice, dated ..... 18..

Invoice Weight, ... ozs. .....

Fine Weight, ... ozs. .....

Value, @ ..... per oz. fine, $ .....

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

..... 1894.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from .....

per letter of advice, dated ..... 1894.

Gross Invoice Weight, ozs. 50,355.0

Fine Weight, ozs. 50,[illegible].0

Value, @ [illegible] per oz. fine, $ [illegible]

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—3,500.]
[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

D.S.S.

FORM NO. 88 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Dec. 24th, 1890.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13.052,	favor	American Exchg Nat'l Bank	$ 3.701.64
" 13.053,	"	Fassitt, Colgate & Co.	$ 8.57[illegible]
" 13.054	"	Canby & Carman	$ 7.922.81
" 13.055	"	Canby & Carman	$58.220.95
" 13.056	"	Com. Kansas City & O. Co.	$11.048.15
" 13.057	"	Mart. Rodgers Bro.	$ 6.0[illegible]

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

[signature]
Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 24, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C

Dear Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Sixty-six Eleven, to-day"

Very Respectfully

O.C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent

M.E.B.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 14th 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director U.S. Mint
Washington
D.C.

Sir.

I have the honor to report that the approximate amount of Silver purchased & parted during the current month Act July 14th 1890 as assayed to date, is,
968711 fine ounces. Value $520.62

Very Respectfully
Your Obdt. Servt
Oscar Bosbyshell
Superintendent

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Sept. 26, 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

Sir:

In stating compensation of W. A. Carruthers appointed a Roller you put it at $2.75 per diem. this is evidently a slip of the pen, it should be $2.90. I have so fixed it in his letter of appointment.

Very respectfully
for Ph. Garrett
A. E. Backhouse
Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 26, 1892

HON. LEONARD G. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins received for special test this day, namely:-

Two Dimes Dec 1765

Very Respectfully,

A. E. Barton
Superintendent

MINT OF THE U. S.,
PHILADELPHIA.

Sept. 26. 1892

Asst. Treasurer U.S.
Phila.

Sir:- I will thank you to endorse
to my order enclosed draft and
return to this office.

Very respectfully

Superintendent

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U.S. MINT, PHILA.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept 26th, 1892

Sir

Please sign and return the enclosed Postal Orders, which are payable to you, and were sent to the Mint in payment for proof coin.

Very respectfully
D. Brenbythell
Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 26, 1892

Treasurer U. S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Bear and forty-seven Elks, to-day."

Very Respectfully,

A. E. Barbyshire

Superintendent

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FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Sept 26th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No.	13058	favor Haudy & Harman	for $	3974.06
"	13059	" Do Do	" $	71922.18
"	13060	" Clark, Dodge & Co	" $	68000.—
"	13061	" Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.	" $	3036.11
"		"	" $	
"		"	" $	

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

B. E. Bakewell
Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Nov 6th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Kane & Coman

per letter of advice, dated Nov. 6th, 1892.

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	65.717.50
Fine Weight,	ozs.	65.640.34
Value, @ .8365	per oz. fine,	$ 54.908.15

H. Du Bois Phelps

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 27 1892

Sir.

I send forward Coins reserved for special test this day, viz:-

Two (2) Quarter Dollars Dec 1846

Very Respectfully,

A. E. Barbydell

Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.
Superintendent's Office.

Sept 27, 1872

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of The Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir

I beg to return the enclosed Requisition for your signature.

Very Respectfully

Superintendent

E.T.B.

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 27th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check

No. 13.062, favor	Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.	for	$ 2.891.88
" 13.063 "	Kandy & Carman	"	$91.419.01
" 13.064 "	Clark, Dodge & Co.	"	$23.547.62
" 13.065 "	Kissage, Edgate & Co.	"	$44.000.00
" 13.066 "	American Exchange Nat. Bank N.Y.	"	$10.000.00
" 13.067 "	Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana	"	$17.000.00

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

D. A. Bashore

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 27, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:-

"Bear and Eighty Nine Elsewhere."

Very Respectfully

A.E. Roberts

Superintendent.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 28 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins selected for assay test this day, viz:

Two (2) Eagles Del #147

Very Respectfully,
O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent.

A.T.B

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Sept. 28th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 16th, 1892.

Invoice Weight,	oz.	50.872.00
Fine Weight,	oz.	50.725.02
Value, @ 0.8360	per oz. fine, $	42.406.12

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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(FORM No. 269.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Sept. 28th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 16th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50.751.40
Fine Weight,	ozs.	50.601.14
Value, @ 0.8362	per oz. fine, $	42.312.68

O. C. Pabst
Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

S.T.S.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 28th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 19th 1892

Invoice Weight,	*ozs.*	29,832.65
Fine Weight,	*ozs.*	29,786.69
Value, @ 0.8385 *per oz. fine*	$	24,976.14

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

G.T.B.

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Sept. 28th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13.068,	favor	Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana	for	$ 6.521.28
" 13.069,	"	American Exchg Nat. Bank 4 4	"	$ 3573.37
" 13.070,	"	Kandy & Kannan	"	$53.873.95
" 13.071,	"	Nesslage, Colgate & Co.	"	$20.238.17
" 13.072,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	"	$24.000.00
" 13.073,	"	(Fourth Nat. Bank 4 4. attn for) Zimmermann & Forshay 4 4)	"	$31.000.00

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 28 1892

Examiner U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day, is hereby made official:-

"Bear ears sixty-nine Elms to-day"

Very Respectfully,

D.R. Dunbar Reed
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 29 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins allowed for official test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Quarters. Del. #150
Two (2) Dimes " 157

Very Respectfully,

O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 29 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Bean and Hitzgaine Elect to-day."

Very Respectfully,

O.C. Asby Bell
Superintendent.

Sept. 24th 92

Kandy & Kaman

Sept. 21st 92

75.407.19

75.323.57

Value, @ .8370 63.045.82

(Ed. 6-14-89—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

20 [illegible], 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from [illegible]

per letter of advice, dated 20. [illegible] 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	28,[illegible]700
Fine Weight,	ozs.	28068.35
Value, @ 0.8380	*per oz. fine,*	$23.521.28

O. C. Reboher

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-89—1,000.)

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The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 19th 92

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from American Exchg Nat. Bank N.Y.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 20th 92

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	16.211.40
Fine Weight,	ozs.	16.187.68
Value, @ 0.8385	per oz. fine,	$13,573.37

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Sept. 19th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Messiage, Ortgate & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 19th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50.150.25
Fine Weight,	ozs.	50.101.32
Value, @ 0.8385	per oz. fine,	$42.009.96

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Sept. 29th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Nesslage, Colgate & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 23rd, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50,032.23
Fine Weight,	ozs.	29,975.29
Value, @ 0.8380	per oz. fine,	$25,119.30

Superintendent.

(Ed 6-14-'89—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Sept. 29th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Zimmermann & Forstay per letter of advice, dated Sept. 26th 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50.353.89
Fine Weight,	ozs.	50.271.45
Value, @ 0.8384	per oz. fine,	$42.147.58

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

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FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Sept. 29th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check

No. 13.074	favor	(Fourth Nat. Bank & Assignee Zimmermann & Forshay)	$ 11.147.58
" 13.075	"	Messlage, Ortgate & Co.	" 2.891.09
" 13.076	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	" 67.535.25
" 13.077	"	Kandy & Kaman	" 87.135.31
"	"		"
"	"		"

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 30, 1892

Director of the Mint U. S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I find on referring to original schedule of bids for supplies on file at this office that Mess. C. Hulbert & Son and E. T. Houghton & Co each bid 8½ cents per lb for best Kettle rendered Lard. I had entered the name of E. T. Houghton & Co on contract book, but the firm writes me that they did not receive notice of any contract. Referring to your copy of the schedule I do not find any award for Lard.

I would recommend an award for Lard at 8½ cents per lb to Mess. E. T. Houghton & Co. There is no choice between the bidders.

Very Respectfully
A. Loudenslager
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Sept. 30 1892

Assayer-in-Charge
Mint U. S. Denver, Col.

Sir-

Acting upon the suggestion of Director of the Mint, and in compliance with your request of Sept. 26. inst. I forward herewith an equivalent strip of our proof gold for your assay.

Very Respectfully

O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

B.S.P.

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.,

Sept. 30th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 19th 1892

Invoice Weight	ozs.	276.213.09
Fine Weight	ozs.	275.000.89
Value, @ 0.8385	per oz. fine,	$231.140.07

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Dec. 30th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Ridge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Dec. 16th, 1892.

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50391.40
Fine Weight,	ozs.	50237.64
Value, @ 0.8364	per oz. fine,	$42018.76

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'92—1,000.)

A.S.S.

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Dec. 30th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Carey & Lyman

per letter of advice, dated Nov. 23rd 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	151,260.15
Fine Weight,	ozs.	151,033.51
Value, @ 0.8380	per oz. fine,	$126,560.07

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

A.S.S.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Sept 30th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13.078,	favor	Clark, Dodge & Co.	for $20.714.15
" 13.079,	"	Handy & Harman	$64.417.97
" 13.080	"	Ctr. Kansas City & R. R. Co.	$21.136.45
"	"		$
"	"		$
"	"		$

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

A. E. Burbyshell

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

Mint of the United States
Phila.
Sept. 30 1892

To the Director of the Mint,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Inclosed herewith please find the following-named Certificate of Deposit issued by Assistant Treasurer U. S. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia, for money deposited by me as follows, viz.:

No. 8210	for $ 90.000	on account of	Uncurrent Coin
No. 8211	for $ 38	on account of	Assay Fees
No. 8212	for $ 156.95	on account of	Miscellaneous Charges
No. 8213	for $ 4907.35	on account of	Refining "
No. 8214	for $ 146.40	on account of	Old Materials sold
No.	for $	on account of	

for the Quarter ended Sept. 30 1892

Respectfully yours,

O. B. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

(Ed. 10-14-90—500)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 30th 1892

Treasurer United States,
Washington,
D. C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:-
"Bean and Civic Elm to-day."

Very respectfully,

Superintendent

Form No. 225.

Mint of the United States,

Philada
Sept 30th 92

Director of the Mint.

Sir:

Upon examination and count at the close of business on the

30th day of Sept. 92

hands of the Cashier of this Mint to be as follows:

Gold Bars	
Gold Coin	2419.410.
Silver Bars	
Silver Coin	50.250.865.33
Currency	121.572.78
Fractional Notes	48.152.79
Minor Coins	23.865.
Total	52.863.885.90

My Bal.
$ 923.312.21

D A Dinkyhuizen
Asst Assayer

(Ed. 5-6-'88—500.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Oct. 1 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official -

"Fifty-two Eleven today."

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

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FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 14th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13.081, favor Kundy & Kaman, for $ 27.000.00
" 13.082, " Clark, Dodge & Co. , " $ 25.000.00
" ..... , " ..... , " $ .....
" ..... , " ..... , " $ .....
" ..... , " ..... , " $ .....
" ..... , " ..... , " $ .....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

..... Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 3rd 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clarke, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 21st 1892

Invoice Weight, ozs 100.204.10

Fine Weight, ozs 99.844.86

Value, @ 0.8348 per oz. fine, $ 83,350.48

D. R. Boyd
Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

		Invoice Weight	Mint Weight	Value
Delivered	in Sept.	92.675.10	92.340.04	77.085.40
"	" Oct.	7.529.00	7.504.82	6.265.08
	Total	100.204.10	99.844.86	83.350.48

8.50

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The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 3rd 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 23rd 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	30,078.73
Fine Weight,	ozs.	30,040.07
Value, @ 0.8386	per oz. fine,	$25,173.58

A. E. Roberts
Superintendent

(Ed. 6-14-89—1,000.)

	Invoice Weight	Mint Weight	Value
Delivered in Sept.	25,255.66	25,222.49	21,136.45
" " Oct.	4,823.07	4,817.58	4,037.13
Total	30,078.73	30,040.07	25,173.58

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Oct. 3rd, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No.	13.083	favor	Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.	for $ 4,037.13
"	13.084	"	Handy & Harman	" $20.269.55
"	13.085	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	" $70.813.06
"	13.086	"	Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.	" $10.000.00
"		"		" $
"		"		" $

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct 3 1892

The Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made a part:

"Bear and Fine Elem, to-day"

Very Respectfully

O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 3, 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington D.C.

Sir:-

As it will probably require about 500 ounces of the enclosed sample of Warrant to carry us through the fiscal year, I will thank you to have that quantity forwarded to me as soon as possible.

Very Respectfully

(Form No. 4A.)

O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Oct. 4, 1892

Dr. D. K. Tuttle.
Selte & Kapius,
Sir:

Please prepare ingots sufficient for the coinage of $300.000 in Quar. Dollars, and for $250.000 in dimes, the required outfit for October.

Respectfully,

O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Oct. 4, 1892

R. Steel Esq
Assistant
Sir:-

The Director makes requisition for $300.000 in Quar. Dollars and $250.000 in dimes for the month of October, and urges the certain outfit of the same.

Respectfully,

O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Dec. 4 1872

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward Coins reserved for special test this day, namely:

Two (2) Dimes Dec 1871

Very Respectfully

J. A. Bye Jr
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 4 1892

Hon. Edwd. O. Leech
Director Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

Complying with your request (B.T.B.) of Oct. 3, inst. I forward herewith itemized schedule of Old Bullion sold, and Assay Fees for Quarter ended Sept. 30, 1892. I will ask you to excuse the omission, and assume that the items stated were made out as of Sept. 30 and presumably, until your reminder came, sent forward. I find these "figgers tickled" by one of the blunders that establish the fact of the fallibility of man.

Very Respectfully

A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Sept. 30, 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to send forward Statement of Old materials sold during the quarter ending even date:

July 7.	Check	for one old Gas Furnace			$35.00
12.	"	discarded Belting			7.00
26.	"	" Ivory Spindle			8.76
Aug 4.	"	Metal Scrap			.57
5.	"	Walnut Box (old)			1.00
31.	"	887 lbs Burnt Iron @	cut	25¢	22.17
"	"	4185 " Cast "	cut	35¢	14.65
"	"	100 " Machinery "	cut	50¢	50
"	"	50 " Wrought "		65¢	32
"	"	200 " Copper scrap	Lt	9⅜¢	18.75 $108.66

forward

2 Statements
2 Distributions

Brot fwd $108.66

Aug. 31. Rec'd for 210 lbs lead @ 5 3/8 lb 11.24

Sept. 3. " Old stopping Machine @ $1.00 cash 21.50

13 " Discarded small Cylinder 5.00 $146.40

For which Pa of A. F. A. U. S. Phila #3214 was duly forwarded to you.

Very Respectfully

O. C. Rusby Jr.

Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

October 4th 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech,

Director of the Mint,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to transmit herewith, plans and specifications submitted by Messrs Wm. Sellers & Co., Southwark Mfg. Co., Waterbury Machine Co., and George C. Howard, for the manufacture of a hydraulic press for Medal work. I have submitted these plans and specifications to Mr. Samuel James, our Chief Machinist, with the request that he go over them thoroughly and make me a report thereon. His report I enclose herewith.

In making a new departure in the striking of medals it is a difficult matter to say, absolutely, whether the new plan will work as satisfactorily as it appears from the knowledge obtained on the subject, so that I have occupied a great deal of time in going over the ground, in order if possible to make no mistake where the expenditure of the amount of money required will have to be made. The use of a hydraulic press for the striking of medals is new, and I believe that we will have, in ordering such a press, one of the first to be used in that way. There are several matters to be considered in the procuring of a hydraulic press, and I have been obliged to make use of the knowledge of experts

in this matter to determine which, in my opinion, is the best to take amongst those submitted. There are several general principles that can be laid down. The use of an accumulator for the purpose of securing the pressure I do not consider good, for the reason that the flow cannot be determined accurately. I have therefore eliminated any plan or specification that requires the use of an accumulator. The introduction of steam into a cylindar to force the water so as to secure pressure in that way, is not deemed advisable, from the fact that it takes more steam than is really necessary to do the work, because, upon the introduction of steam into the cylindar, that cylindar must acquire the same temperature as the steam, before the steam will act upon the water to make the pressure, so that any of the plans submitted requiring the use of steam, have not been considered.

Satisfied that these general principles to wit, the use of an accumulator and the use of steam to secure the pressure on the water, are not the best means of obtaining the results desired in a hydraulic press, I have only considered such a press as uses the natural flow of water, either from a tank or by the use of a pump.

Applying these principles to the plans and specifications submitted, I am prepared to recommend the giving of the contract to

E.O.L., No.3, 10/4/92.

Messrs William Sellers & Co., for the sum of $7000, whose plans and specifications are in my opinion very much better for the purpose which we will use the press, and very much more complete in every way, than any of the others offered.

I trust that you will promptly approve the award of the contract to Messrs William Sellers & Co., so that we can issue the order and get this much desired improvement into our Institution. I am,

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

O. C. Baldwin

Superintendent.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

Coining Room Office,

October 4th, 1897.

C. C. Batchelder,

Superintendent

Dear Sir,

Sperry has reported by me to examine into the merit of the two designs marked A & C for the Hardwick Medal Striking Press, I have the honor to report;

That the method in the original & old plan of making medals, I think works well the expansion of the dies to do with hydraulic pressure the pulverizing of the medals, the designs [illegible] the ground [illegible]

[illegible] the design [illegible]
[illegible] the needs of the mind in this work.

The following points in brief [illegible]
mark the excellence of this design,

1st The use of a low pressure supplied by a tank, giving a full or head of 5 feet.

2nd The use of the maximum or pump pressure of 4000 lbs to the [illegible] inch as a distinct or striking pressure of only one tenth of one inch.

3rd The tensile strength of four steel columns 12 inches in diameter, gives the [illegible] rigidity which is so very desirable in medal striking, affording the means for making fine and exact work.

4th The two methods of lifting the ram for its work to its upper position, by the means of the small cylinder, actuated

by the pumps / presses is a very great
into a convenient means of doing the work.
5th The arrangement of, and the connection
of the pumps to a Three Throw Shaft, gives
to the ram a steady and Easy movement
most desirable in the work demanded from
the press.
6th The general arrangement and the
simplicity of valves regulating the water
supply is good, as is also the method of
removing the Chuck blanks from the steel
Collar.
7th The designer having arranged to
place punches and dies for the punching
of blanks, he has thereby given an additi-
onal use to the press, now provided for
by a Separate machine.
I have no hesitation in saying that
in my judgement this press will fulfil

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[illegible] proceedings, and prove to be a [illegible]
Proceeding,

[illegible] I will give you my judgement on plans
marked C, I will briefly State my
objections to plan marked A!

1st The important objection is made that
only two Columns are used in the Construc-
tion of this press, thereby detracting to
any great Extent its rigidity, That the
Steel Columns 10 inches in diameter
under the maximum pressure of 6500 lbs
per square inch will expand and
contract Enough to be absolutely certain,
and The rigidity of a press with two
Steel Columns 10 inches in diameter, as
compared with one of four Steel Columns
10 inches diameter will hardly permit
of a comparison.

3rd The use of an accumulator to store

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the arm is in upper position, does not seem desirable as compared with the use of the prompt pressure for that purpose.

4th. The Contrivance for removing the blanks from the Collar is not so desirable, and does increase the amount of pasting necessary to use waste joints.

5th. Without further objection the design marked A. does not show either in general arrangement or convenience in handling the medal work that presented by design marked C. I would respectfully suggest that such a press as per design and Specification marked C be procured for the making of medals.

Very Respectfully

Machinist

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 4th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Sept. 21st, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50.455.10
Fine Weight,	ozs.	50.303.94
Value, @ .8364	per oz. fine,	$42.074.21

J. B. Leibert
Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

All delivered in Coin

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 4th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 2nd, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50,066.80
Fine Weight,	ozs.	49,916.83
Value, @ .83358	per oz. fine,	$41,720.48

H. R. Linderman

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

Mr delivered in October

B.S.S.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 4th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13,087, favor Clark, Dodge & Co., for $52,061.08
" 13,088, " Com. Kansas City Sav. Co., " $32,464.9[illegible]
" 13,089, " Handy & Harman, " $8,144.07
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

J. H. Redpath

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

October 4th 1902

Sir

In compliance with your letters of the 22d and 23d of September, I send by U. S. Express, Charges paid, three (3) Silver Life Saving Medals, Mounted, and three Cases and enclose herewith duplicate receipted bill for the same amounting to $3.22

I also enclose Brochure, which please sign, and return to this office

Very respectfully

C. C. Darby Hill

Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C.

October 4th 1872

Sir

In compliance with your letters of the 22d and 23d of September, I send by U. S. Express, charges paid, three (3) Silver Life Saving Medals, Mounted, and three Cases and enclose Revenue duplicate receipted bill for the same amounting to $36.22

I also enclose Vouchers, which please sign, and return to this office

Very respectfully

A. L. Dasby Snell

Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint

Washington

D. C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 4, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you to-day is hereby made official:

"Sixty-three Dies to-day."

Very Respectfully,
O.C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 5, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:

I send forward coins reserved for Specie test this day, viz:

Two (2) Dimes Dec #165

Very Respectfully

A. M. Dubbs

Superintendent

L.S.B.

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct 5th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13.090,	favor	Clark. Dodge & Co.	for	$41.934.56
" 13.091,	"	Cen. Kansas City & Co.	"	$16.983.40
" 13.092,	"	Handy & Harman	"	$32.076.18
" 13.093,	"	Handy & Harman	"	$69.000.00
" .....,	"	.....	"	$.....
" .....,	"	.....	"	$.....

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

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The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 5th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dazal & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 23rd 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50,316.60
Fine Weight,	ozs.	50,175.67
Value, @ .8378	per oz. fine, $	42,037.18

D. G. Bushnell
Superintendent

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

All delivered in October

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 5 1892

Treasurer U. S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:-

"Bear and Sixty-Nine to-day."

Very Respectfully

A. E. Roberts

Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 6, 1892
11.35 a.m.

The Assistant Clerk

Pay for silver across Counter 87½ cents per fine ounce.

O.C.D. by Asst
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 6, 1892
11.35 a.m.

The Weigh Clerk

Pay for silver across Counter 87½ cents per fine ounce.

O.C.D. by Asst
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 6 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:-

"Coss and Thirty-three Elsw, today."

Very Respectfully,
O. C. Risley Asst
Superintendent

L.C.B.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 6th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.;

New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13.094,	favor	Handy & Harman	for	$ 11.003.07
" 13.095,	"	Handy & Harman	"	$ 63.449.37
" 13.096,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.	"	$ 40.563.47
" 13.097,	"	Can. Kansas City & P. Co.	"	$ 3.141.79
" 13.098,	"	American Exch'g Nat. Bank t.a.	"	$ 87.000.00
" 13.099,	"	Compañia Metallurgica Mexicana	"	$ 28.000.00

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

£.79

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 6th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Harman per letter of advice, dated Sept. 26th 92

Invoice Weight 300.668.20 ozs.

Fine Weight 300.242.32 ozs.

Value 100.54 per oz. fine, $251.723.16

A. M. Purdy Neil
Superintendent.

	Invoice Weight	Print Weight	Value
Delivered in Sept.	183,005.03	182.765.15	153.230.29
" " Oct.	117.663.17	117.477.17	98.492.87
Total	300.668.20	300.242.32	251.723.16

DCV

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

October 6th 1892

Sir

Enclosed please find the three returned Vouchers of the Medal Account, properly Signed by Mr F. A. Dick, as requested.

Very respectfully

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent

The
Hon. Comptroller of the Treasury
Washington
D. C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 7 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEACH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins selected for special test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Dimes Oct 7th 56

Very Respectfully

O. C. Risley Asst

Superintendent.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Oct 7th 1892

Sir

In return for the $1.12 Postal Note in your letter of the 6th inst, I send herewith a Silver Proof set of 1892.

Very respectfully
A. Loudenslager
Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office

Feb. 7th, 1892

Hon. E. O. Leach,
Director of the Mint.

Sir;

Mr. Jno. Boyd Thacher, Chairman of the Sub-Com. on Awards of the World's Fair called yesterday, and was shown every courtesy.

Mr. Barber is anxious to have him informed that any model submitted for the Award Medal, should be exactly three times the diameter of the required size of the Medal. For instance if a three inch medal is wanted, then the model should be nine inches in diameter.

Will you kindly inform Mr. Thacher of this requirement.

Very respectfully, Your ob't
O. C. Bosbyshell Supt.

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.,

Oct. 7th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 26th 1892

Fineness Weight	oz.	100.002.00
Fine Weight	oz.	99.655.80
Value, @ 0.8380	per oz. fine, $	83.511.56

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

All claimed in October

A.S.S

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 7th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana per letter of advice, dated Oct. 3rd 1892

Fineness Weight	gr.	45.371.80
Fine Weight	gr.	45.312.97
Value, @ 0.8358	per oz. fine, $	37.872.58

B. E. Bosbyshell
Superintendent.

(Ed 6-14-'89—1,000.)

A.C.S

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 7th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Con. Kansas City & P. R. R. Co.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 26th 1892

Fineness Weight,	oz.	74.773.32
Fine Weight,	oz.	74.054.15
Value, @ .8384	per oz. fine, $	62.590.04

R. E. Preston
Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

All delivered in October

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 7th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13,100	favor	Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana		$ 9,872.58
" 13,101	"	Handy & Harman		$ 43,081.15
" 13,102	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.		$ 53,885.75
" 13,103	"	American Exch'g Nat'l Bank &		$ 44,068.24
" 13,104	"	Com. Nat. City & R. Co.		$ 10,000.00
" 13,105	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.		$ 16,000.00

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

A. E. Roberts
Superintendent.

(P.S. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 7 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day, is hereby made official:

"Bar and seventy-seven Eles, to-day."

Very Respectfully

O.C. Barber
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct 7th 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint;
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to request that you make requisition on the Secretary of the Treasury, in my favor, for the sum of twenty five hundred (2500) Dollars - payable from the Appropriation for Parting & Refining Bullion, &c and in meeting the expenses of this Mint, on that account; for the current month.

Very respectfully.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 7th, 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech.
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D.C.

Sir.

I have the honor to request that you make requisition on the Secretary of the Treasury, in my favor, for the sum of fifteen hundred (1500) Dollars, payable from the Appropriation for Storage of Silver Bullion. Act of July 14th 1890. to aid in meeting the expenses of the Mint, on that account, for the current month.

Very respectfully.

J. C. Sharpless

Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 7th, 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D.C.

Sir.-

I have the honor to request that you make requisition on the Secretary of the Treasury, in my favor, for the sum of two thousand (2000) Dollars, payable from the Appropriation for Coinage of Silver Bullion, Act of July 14th 1890. to and in meeting the expenses of the Mint, on that account, for the current month.

Very respectfully,

Supt.

B.L.C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct 7th, 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint:
Washington, D.C.

Sir.-

I have the honor to forward per by 3rd days mail, my Ordinary, Refining, Coinage and Storage of Silver Bullion Accounts. Act July 14th. 1890 for the month of September 1892

Very respectfully

Supt.

Phila

Oct 7th 92

Philadelphia

Thirty one thousand five hundred

($31,500-) Dollars

Oct 31st

92

93

Janj 9th 90

Phila $ 3,500—

Phila 25,000—

Phila 3,000—

$ 31,500—

Form 95.

DISBURSING OFFICER'S NOTICE OF EXAMINATION OF STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

U. S. Mint
Philada. Oct. 7th 2

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York, N. Y.

Sir:

I have received your statement of my disbursing account dated September 30th 1892 and find the balance thereon reported to be 1,046,625.00

I have also examined the numbers, dates and amounts of the debit and credit vouchers therein reported and find that the same agree with my records.

Respectfully yours,

C. B. Boyd
Superintendent

N. B.—This letter should be signed by the Disbursing Officer ONLY, and be used for no other business than that relating to the examination of statements of account.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

Office,

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424 oz
15.519 "
29.895 "
6.646 "
.297 "
52.781 oz

Report of Assay
Silver Acid.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 6th, 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

Enclosed herewith I transmit the oaths of office of recent appointees in this Institution, as follows:-

Geo. W. Griffiths,	Carpenter	Genl. Dept.
Chas. Goldstine,	Night Watch	" "
Thomas Grace,	Machinist	" "
Saml. A. Preston,	Assistant	" "
Jno. D. McCracken,	Annealer, Coining	"
W. L. Carruthers,	Roller	" "
Kate Price,	Adjuster	" "
Martha E. Black,	"	" "
Josephine Howard,	"	" "

Very respectfully,
D. A. Parkhead Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 8

Treasurer U. S.
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

The enclosed money was sent to "R Kirby, Memphis, Tenn," and has been returned to this office unopened without explanation. As there is no letter I forward the same to your office.

Very Respectfully

H. R. Kirby
Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

Office,

, 189

50715 g

34960 "

5102 "

299.50 "

2320 "

91.099.75 g

Received U.S.

Reports of Philadelphia

Read

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Dec. 8th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No.	13.106,	favor	Clark, Dodge & Co.,	for $ 15.186.22
"	13.107,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.,	" $ 23.784.81
"	13.108,	"	Handy & Harman,	" $ 77.413.85
"	13.109,	"	Com. Kansas City & G. Co.,	" $ 15.346.72
"	13.110,	"	American Exch. Nat. Bank,	" $ 23.459.22
"	.....,	"	.....,	" $ .....

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 5th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Bandy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 3rd, 1892

Parcels Weight,	ozs.	101,182.25
Fine Weight,	ozs.	100,992.72
Value, @ .85345	per oz. fine, $	84,278.42

Superintendent.

(Ed. 6-14-'89—4,000.)

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 8th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clarke, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice dated Sept. 28th 1892

Fineness Weight,		100.608.70
Fine Weight,		100.186.05
Value, @	08368 per oz. fine, $	83.835.69

Superintendent.

(Ed 6-14-89—1,000.)

All delivered in October

J.T.P.

The Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENN.

Oct. 8th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from American Exchg Nat. Bank N.Y.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 5th 1892

Presence Weight,	ozs.	184.383.30
Fine Weight,	ozs.	184.180.52
Value, @ 0.8390	per oz. fine,	$154.527.46

Superintendent

(Ed. 6-14-'89—1,000.)

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

Office, .

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F. E. Kneph

Assistant Assayer

Report of Bar Silver Received

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 8, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

Bear and Eagle-Five Dollar Pieces today.

Very respectfully Yr
A.E. Roberts
Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

October 5th, 1891.

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint.

Sir;

During the fiscal year ending June 30th last, we have introduced into this Institution Brown's Patent Annealing Process with most satisfying results.

This process consists of a bath composed of the nitrate of potassium heated to a temperature of about 900° Fahrenheit. At this heat the bath is in a limpid molten condition, favorable for the introduction of the long rolled strips of silver to be annealed, and in which they are immersed, remaining so immersed from ten to fifteen minutes, when they assume the same low cherry red heat of the bath. they are then removed

and cooled in water. The bath is held in an iron vessel which vessel is heated by coal, and it seems to be the property of the material comprising the bath to maintain a uniform temperature of heat, so that all danger of over heating or the irregular heating of any portion of the strips cannot occur. The absolute regular heat of the bath affecting the entire strip exactly alike at every point, is a wonderful improvement over our old method of annealing strips in open furnaces heated by wood.

The new process affords a great saving in time, and permits the annealing of a larger mass of strips than was possible in the open wood-heated furnaces.

What formerly occupied twenty to twenty five minutes to accomplish, can

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be done in the bath in ten to fifteen minutes, and the mass to be annealed is only limited to the capacity of the bath to hold them.

The materials comprising the bath and the fuel used to heat it can be procured at a saving of about fifty per centum over the cost of wood required to heat the old annealing furnaces.

In the use of this new process it has developed that a much better per centum of good blanks is procured from the strips annealed therein, than could be obtained under the old way.

It is gratifying to know that the Mints of the United States have secured the use of this important improvement.

Very respectfully Your Obt Servant

D. C. Roseboro

Superintendent

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
Superintendant's Office,
Oct. 8th, 1892.

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director U. S. Mint
Washington
D.C.

Sir.

I have the honor to report that the approximate amount of Silver purchased and parted during the current month (Oct July 14th 1890) as assayed to date, is, 4191.93 fine ounces. Value $3573.90.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servt
O. C. Ormsby Bell
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 8 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

In conformance with your request by wire, even date, I herewith forward to you summary and tables corresponding to matter of pp. 96, 97, 98, 99 & 100 of your annual Report fiscal year 1891.

I had forwarded the data to the Bureau prior to August 15, last, and assumed that they would be collected in your office. I hope the omission has not delayed your report.

Very Respectfully
A. M. Purdy Mitchell
Superintendent

I send also by this mail, report on Brown's Accounts Bureau, which I did not refer to in regular report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1892.

Mint at Philadelphia.

The value of gold and silver received at the Mint at Philadelphia during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1892, was:

Gold $6,795,883.61

Silver .....

Additionally ..... pounds of mixed deposits were received.

The number of assays made during the year approximates:

Gold .....

Silver .....

The quantity of precious metals operated upon by the melter and refiner was:

Gold 1,689,539.66

Silver ..... 11,088,956.

The melter and refiner returned in fineness a surplus of .....

His brokerage was .....

The number of melts, assays in the assay department, and the number condemned, during the fiscal year, were:

Melts of Gold and Silver, 1892.

Metals.	Melts.	Assays.	Condemned.
Gold	327	257	6
Silver	482	2892	46
Total	809	3149	52

The operations of the refinery of the Mint at Philadelphia were as follows:

Refinery Operations, 1892.

Bullion.	Gold.	Silver.
Sent to refinery:		
Gross weight	627.775.432	[illegible]
Standard ounces by assay	295.162.403	846.164.4
Returned from refinery	295.207.402	847.720.5

The operations of the coining department, Philadelphia, [illegible]

are exhibited in the following table:

British sterling	Value.
Gold	1.234.616.207
Silver	9.479.340.62
Minor coinage	8.605.470.68

The wastage of the Coiner's Department was:

Gold	5.6[illegible]
Silver	16[illegible]

As will be seen, the wastage in the mechanical branch of the Mint was small, reference being had to the large amount operated upon.

The coinage executed was as follows:

Description.	No. of Pieces.	Value.
Gold	1.340.042.	£10.282.147.50
Silver	27.025.786	5.691.509.25
Minor Coins	61.582.474	1.296.710.42
Total	89.948.302	£17.270.367 17

The percentage of good coins produced from ingots operated on was:

	Per cents
Gold	44.8
Silver	52.3

The number of Medals struck in the Coinage department for the year was as follows:

Character.	Number
Gold	82
Silver	736
Bronze	1038
Aluminium (blanks furnished)	16
Total - - - - - - - - - - -	1872

The foreign gold and silver coins melted at the Mint at Philadelphia, fiscal year 1892, were as follows:

Coins & Countries	Value of gold	Value of Silver	Total
Germany	$4.77483		$4.77483
Spain		$187.54	187.54
Mixed Coins	1.135.63		
	$5.910.46	$187.54	$6097.46

The domestic gold coins deposited at the mint at Philadelphia during the last fiscal year and assayed, were as follows:

	Value.
Double Eagles	$54.390
Eagles	38.340
Half Eagles	57.055
Three Eagles	2.316
Three Dollars	48
One Dollar	15
Total	$152.844

The following table exhibits the domestic silver coins melted at the Philadelphia mint during the last fiscal year by denominations:

	Value.
Dollar coins prior to 1878	$1.295
Standard Dollars	11.842
Trade Dollars	914
Half Dollars	4.029.231
Quarter Dollars	224.032

Twenty Cent Prizes	
Tens	50.890.60
Half Tens	9.684.20
Three Cent Prizes	563.01
Total - - - - - - -	$4.562.398.81

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 10, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for special test this day, viz:-

500 (2) Dimes Del #57

Very Respectfully,

A. E. Osborne

Superintendent.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 10 1892

Steamer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you to-day, is hereby made official:-

"Bear and Sixty-two Elm, to-day."

Very respectfully

O.C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

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FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 10th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13,111, favor Kandy & Karman, for $79.104.22
" 13,112, " Clark, Dodge & Co., " $66.520.36
" 13,113, " Bon. Kansas City & R.R. Co., " $15.960.47
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....
" ....., " ....., " $.....

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-90—1,000.)

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

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10157 "

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Beaufort, S.C.

Report of
Gen Fessenden
Recd.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

Office

Dec 1st 189

Statement of amounts of bags and boxes received by the Superintendent of Philadelphia Mint from Assistant Treasurer U.S. at Philadelphia, Pa.

Standard Dollars	338.00
Half	35.455.00
Quarter	21.790.00
Dimes	7636.00
Half Dimes	149.50
Trade dollars	38.50
	65.407.00

F. E. Kimball
Superintendent

Treasurer U.S.
Report of
Dec 1st 1892
Read.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

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HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send for your coin, received for assay last day, namely:-

Two (2) Quarter Dollars dd 158*

Very Respectfully

O. C. Risley Jr.
Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

October 11th 1892.
11.30 A.M.

Sir:-

Advance purchasing rate of silver to eighty-four and one half cents per ounce fine immediately.

Respectfully,

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent.

To the Abstract Clerk.

Like copy to the Weigh Clerk.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 11 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Bear and forty-two Elec. to-day."

Very Respectfully,

A.E. Roberts

Superintendent.

(FORM NO. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Oct. 11th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 3rd, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	55,067.06
Fine Weight,	ozs.	54,998.59
Value, @ 0.8358 per oz. fine,	$	45,967.82

O. C. Ruby Acct.

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

A.S.S.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 11th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13,114	, favor	Con. Kansas City S.W.R. Co.	for $	4660.63
" 13,115	, "	Handy & Harman	, " $	37.983.02
" 13,116	, "	Handy & Harman	, " $	20.000.00
" 13,117	, "	Clark, Dodge & Co.	, " $	48.395.41
" 13,118	, "	Nesslage, Oelgate & Co.	, " $	31.000.00
"	, "		, " $	

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

A. E. Roberts

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 12, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I forward coins reserved for
Specie test this day, namely:-
Two (2) Quarter Dollars dated 1859

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

Oct. 12 1892

Treasury U.S.

Washington D.C.

Sirs

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Buy and Ship you Silver to-day."

Capt. Cyrus Ellis

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 12 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Bear and Shut you Glen to-day."

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 24th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Bandy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 5th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	150,154.75
Fine Weight,	ozs.	149,867.08
Value, @ 0.8395	per oz. fine,	$ 125,813.41

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 12th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 10th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	65,199.80
Fine Weight,	ozs.	64,914.91
Value, @ 0.8373 per oz. fine,	$	54,353.25

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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(FORM NO. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 12th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 3rd, 1892

Invoice Weight, ozs. 100.577.50

Fine Weight, ozs. 100.224.70

Value, @ 08348 per oz. fine, $ 83.667.57

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

(FORM NO. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 12th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Nesslage, Colgate & Co.

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 3rd, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50,470.30
Fine Weight,	ozs.	50,374.00
Value, @ 0.8357	*per oz. fine,* $	42,097.55

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 12th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 3rd, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	199.940.99
Fine Weight,	ozs.	199.552.05
Value, @ .8358 per oz. fine,	$	166.785.59

Superintendent

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 12th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13119,	favor	Nesslage, Cloake & Co.,	for	$11,097.55
" 13120,	"	Handy & Harman,	"	$6845.81
" 13121,	"	Handy & Harman,	"	$62,319.64
" 13122,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co.,	"	$39,583.99
" 13123,	"	Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana,	"	$11,000.00
" .....,	"	.....,	"	$.....

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

..... Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 13 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins received for special test this day, viz:

Two (2) Dimes Dec 160

Very Respectfully,

Assayer
Acting Supt. Mint

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 13 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter (F.P.L.) of October 12. inst, asking an explanation of the charge for three days overtime to night watch on September Roll, I beg to enclose a letter from the Custodian, Mr. M. Rowe, which may prove satisfactory.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct 13th 1892

Col O C Bosbyshell
Superintendent

Dear Sir

I have the honor to report the following in answer to enquiry contained in letter dated Bureau of the Mint Washington D C Signed by E O Leech Director, and dated 12 inst. relating to overtime made by three night watchmen allowed on September pay roll. Lt Robert Stevens allowed one day, to make good one day deducted in August, he was sick and excused, I thought even this he lost and the only way I had to make or restore the pay. Z. W. Sheiden. made one days overtime by serving Continuously from

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

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4 P.M to 8 AM Also Frank. B. Leffuts the 3d Man Serves Continuously from 4 PM to 8 AM following Morning. Five Watchmen absent at Washington during the Grand Army Encampment and this time was charged against their Credit of Vacation, instead of detailing other men or calling upon the Custodian for some, the Captains of the Relief had my permission to Continue the service of the Men on duty. for the general department had but few present at that time that could be detailed. Jno A Porter Night Watch man sick the night Leffuts Served in his place

Yours Respectfully
James E Mac Lane
Custodian

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 13, 1892

Hon. B.O. Leech
Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I forward herewith a paper showing the purchase of Minor Coin Banks since Jan. 1887, with cost to be avoided for, the coinage value and profit under the various rates paid.

You may recollect that you suggested a verbal request for this information on your last visit to this Mint.

Very Respectfully

D.C. Boyle
Superintendent

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 13th, 1892.

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana per letter of advice, dated Oct. 10th, 1892.

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	18,520.30
Fine Weight,	ozs.	18,489.02
Value, @ 0.8485	per oz. fine, $	15,687.93

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

D.S.B.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Oct. 13th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13,124, favor Compañia Metalurgica Mexicana for $ 4,687.93
" 13,125, " Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co. , " $ 4,941.92
" 13,126, " Handy & Carman , " $60.00456
" 13,127, " Clark, Dodge & Co. , " $72,486.39
" , " , " $
" , " , " $

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 13 1892

The Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Deer one forty-two Dies to-day"

Very Respectfully,

A. E. Dunbar Acting
Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE

October 13th 1892.
2.30 P.M.

Sir:-

Advance purchasing rate of silver to eighty-five cents per ounce fine immediately.

Respectfully,

A. E. Roberts

Superintendent.

To the Weigh Clerk.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 14 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter (S.P.K.) of Oct. 13. inst. requesting explanation of the bill and audit of bill of Elias Pohl for 2090 feet Solid Price Boards 1" thick. I have to say that the price $24.03 per M. is the average on three qualities, as follows: 1" No 1. $24.28 - No 2 $24.03, No 3 $23.42 - Average $24.08. This average was struck again because we use more of No 2 + No 3 than of No 1, which was ordered for a particular purpose.

"Eddy Contract" item in bill No 95 (Exp.) means Change of Connection to introduce gas with Engineer's Dept. for furnaces. I return Voucher &c.

Very Respectfully

A.A. Eddy

Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 14, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coin received for official test this day, viz:-

Two (2) Quarter Dollars dated 1891

Very Respectfully,

[illegible]

Superintendent

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

October 14th 1892

Sir

In compliance with your letter of the 1st inst I send by U. S. Express, one gold and one Silver Life Saving Medal, Mounted, and two Cases and enclose herewith duplicate receipted bills, including Express charges, amounting to $100.10

I also enclose vouchers for the above, which please sign and return to this office.

Very respectfully

A. L. Dickshell

Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 14, 1893

Treasurer U.S.
Washington. D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram, sent you today, is hereby made official:

"Bear and Sig Hen today."

Very Respectfully

D.C. Dobyns

Superintendent

J.S.B.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 14th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co.

per letter of advance, dated Oct. 3rd 1892

Invoice Weight	ozs.	100,922.90
Fine Weight	ozs.	100,539.54
Value, @ .8358	per oz. fine, $	84,030.94

D. C. Risby Acct

Superintendent.

[Ed 12-15-'90—1,000.]

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FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct. 14th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York.

Sir:

I draw this day sight—

No. 13,128, favor Clark, Dodge & Co., for $21,758.85

" 13,129, " Handy & Harman, " $59,132.97

" 13,130, " Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co., " $25,000.00

" ..., " ..., " $...

" ..., " ..., " $...

" ..., " ..., " $...

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

A. E. Roberts

Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

O.B.J.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Oct 14th 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I forward by mail today, my Supplemental Account No 2 of Ordinary Expenses for the month of June 1892. Vouchers No 1 to 22) will be forwarded when completed.

Very respectfully
O. C. Derby Bell
Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 14, 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I enclose herewith $ 8221 for $2.636.97 amount balance of Mining Incidental appropriation fiscal year ended June 30. 1892.

I have not been able to get the machinery ordered from Waterbury Rand & Machine Co. $900; Pennsylvania Machine Co. Coining press (ready to operate but not received) $1.900; Hoisting Machine for Machine Shop $450; Hoist for Materials Elevator $625; advertising (Bulletin) $100 (offer) — Repairs to Blower (offer) $200; and flooring (granolithic) and metal work for Carpenter Shop, Storeroom, and Plumbers shop now in process of completion, $1067. This will aggregate about $6300, and I should be glad to have it considered a liability against the balance

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unexpended and deposited in the Treasury. Every item named was estimated for prior to July 1, last, and I expected to pay for the machinery, improvements and repairs out of the appropriation for last fiscal year. The Waterbury Tunnel Company are unable to deliver Cutting Irons in time; the Pennsylvania Co provided to have the Irons in place ere this; and the Hoists cannot be ready for a few weeks to come. As for the carpenter, plumber, and storekeeper's new quarters, I have been unable to complete them in time to get the bills properly paid. I have to hold over one bill Woodell & Waters, for Woodworking Machinery to be properly executed. Other vouchers for payments are forwarded by this mail.

Very Respectfully

O. C. Darby Bell

Superintendent

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Oct. 15, 1892

The Weigh Clerk
Adviser Purchasing
rate for silver across counter
to 85½ cents per ounce fine.

A. E. Burkhardt
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Oct. 15, 1892

The Assistant Clerk
Adviser Purchasing
rate for silver across counter
to 85½ cents per fine ounce

A. E. Burkhardt
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 15 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington D.C.

Sir:-

The Registrar of Deposits, Mr. Bunglisson, informs me that he is now using the last of the books sent from the Bureau. The books in use will not last until January 1893, and if no more should be sent he will have no more in which to make his entries.

The form is "188 A." He would like them made larger than those last sent, say 30 leaves for gold deposits, 6 leaves for silver deposits, and 240 leaves for silver purchases, 24 lines to the page.

My understanding is that you do not send these books send to the Bureau ~~quarterly~~ yearly.

Very Respectfully

A. A. Br[illegible]
Superintendent

Report of examination 192 bags old silver coin

Cincinnati Ohio

on 50 22361

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7th	50100
8th	92000
10th	50000
	192100—

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Oct. 15 1892

Treasurer U. S.
Washington. D C

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you to-day is hereby made official:

"Bear and maintain Eleven today."

Very Respectfully

D. C. Boyd Mint
Superintendent

H C B

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
Superintendent's Office,
Oct. 15th, 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech
Director Mint
Washington
D.C.

Sir,
I have the honor to report that the approximate amount of bullion purchased and parted during the current month Oct. July 11th 1890, as assayed to date, is 7205.72 fine ounces. Value $6,113.63

Very Respectfully
Your Obdt. Servt
A. Loudenslager
Superintendent

O.18.J.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Oct 15th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day, check—

No. 13131	favor	Handy & Harman	for $	41,757.00
" 13132	"	Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co	" $	17.694.73
" 13133	"	Clark, Dodge & Co	" $	60.000.00
"	"		" $	
"	"		" $	
"	"		" $	

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Superintendent.

(Sec. 19-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States in Philadelphia.
Superintendent's Office.

Oct. 15 1912

Hon. C.O. Leach
Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

As Mr. Goss, of the Scovill Mfg Co, finds it difficult to obtain for rolling and working pure nickel for blanks, may I suggest the plan of communicating with the Austrian Government for the results of its experiment with pure nickel for coins?

Very Respectfully

A.B. Bosbyshell
Superintendent.

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The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 17 1892

The Detroit Club

Advance the rate
for purchases across counter to
86½ cents per ounce fine.

A. E. Roberts
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 17, 1892

The Weigh Clerk

Advance purchasing
rate for silver across counter
to 86½ cents per ounce fine.

A. E. Roberts
Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 17, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins reserved for assay test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Dimes Dec #163

Very Respectfully

A. E. Boyd Jr.

Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
October 17th, 1892

Sir

Your letter of the 15th inst enclosing Draft No 5189/3 for $35.20 in payment of bill for 3 Silver Life Saving Medals, Case V. V. forwarded from this office on the 14th inst, has been received.

Very respectfully
A. E. Roberts
Superintendent

S. I. Kimball Esq.
Gen'l Supt U. S. Life Saving Service
Treasury Department
Washington
D. C.

LXV

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

October 17th, 1892

Sir

Draft No 518913 for $35.20 in payment of bill for three Silver Life Saving Medals, Cases &c &c; forwarded from this office on the 4th inst, & with the vouchers for the same, have been received.

Very respectfully
A. E. Burbyshell
Superintendent

Hon E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C.

012.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Oct 17, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co

per letter of advice, dated Oct 10th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	69,909.21
Fine Weight,	ozs.	59,822.98
Value, @ 0.8485	per oz. fine, $	50,759.80

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

RDJ.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct. 17th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co

per letter of advice, dated Oct 7th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	100,034.30
Fine Weight,	ozs.	99,615.0
Value, @ 0.8486 per oz. fine,	$	84,533.78

R. E. Preston
Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

013 J.

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct 17th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13134 favor Haudy & Harman, for $ 41,423.05
" 13135, " Clark, Dodge & Co, " $ 52,132.46
" 13136 " Con. Kansas City S. & R. Co " $ 3,123.15
" 13137 " Amn Ex. Nat. Bank. N. Y. " $ 31,000.00
" ____, " ____, " $ ____
" ____, " ____, " $ ____

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

D. B. Bruce Mac

Superintendent.

(Rev. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 17 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:-

"Bean Twenty-Eight Blue today."

Very Respectfully

D. L. Eckfeldt

Superintendent

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 18 1892

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HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Sir:-

I send herewith coins struck for preservation by assay, namely:-

Two (2) Dimes #164

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 18, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

The following telegram sent you to-day is hereby made official:

"Bear and fifty-one Elec to-day."

Very Respectfully,

Acting Supt.

013.J.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct 18th, 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13138,	favor	Handy & Harman	for $ 17,979.39
" 13139,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co	" $ 41,870.34
" 13140,	"	Amn Exchange Nat. Bank N.Y.	" $ 10,812.60
" 13141,	"	Fourth Nat'l Bank N.Y. Atty for Zimmermann & Forshay N.Y.	" $ 64,000.
" 13142,	"	J & W. Seligman & Co	" $ 17,000
" _____,	"	_____	" $ _____

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Acting Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

C.R.J.

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Oct 18th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from American Exchange National Bank per letter of advice, dated Oct 14th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	48,718.25
Fine Weight,	ozs.	48,675.91
Value, @ 0.859 per oz. fine,	$	41,812.60

Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

O.B.J.

(FORM No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct 19th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from J & W. Seligman & Co

per letter of advice, dated Oct. 17th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	26,706.65
Fine Weight,	ozs.	26,657.20
Value, @ 0.8660 per oz. fine,	$	23,085.19

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 13-15-'90—1,000.]

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(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Oct 19th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Kimmerman & Forshay

per letter of advice, dated Oct 14th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	99,752.35
Fine Weight,	ozs.	99,549.99
Value, @ 0,8585	per oz. fine, $	85,463.67

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States in Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 19, 1892

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sirs-

I send forward coins received for Special test this day, namely-

Two (2) Dollars Oct 17th 65

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

Old.

FORM No. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct 19th, 1892.

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13143	favor	Handy & Harman	for $ 89,199.93
" 13144	"	Clark, Dodge & Co	" $ 27,543.13
" 13145	"	Fourth Nat'l Bank N. Y. Atty for Zimmermann & Bisby N. O.	" $ 54,462.67
" 13146	"	J. & W. Seligman & Co	" $ 6,086.19
" 13147	"	Com. Kansas City & R. Co	" $ 14,000.00
"	"		" $

in payment for Silver Bullion

Respectfully yours,

E. Stuart Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 19 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official

"Bullion Eighty-nine Thousand today"

Very Respectfully

Chas. Schultz Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 19 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington D.C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to send herewith sample pages of books for Registers of Deposits, and make requisition for six books, arranged, each, as follows:

30 leaves for gold deposits; 6 leaves for silver deposits; 240 leaves for silver fineness. 54 lines to the page.

It is desirable to have at least one of these books prior to January next.

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

O.12.J.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office.

Oct 19th 1892

Hon. E. O. Leech,
Director of the Mint,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I enclose herein, Voucher "17-22" of the Supplemental Ordinary A/c of June 30th 1892 which was retained for completion.

Very respectfully

Acting Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 20 1862

HON. EDWARD O. LEECH,
DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:-

I send forward coins returned for specific test this day, namely:-

Two (2) Quarter dollars dol 166
" " Dimes " 167

Respectfully

Acting Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Oct. 20, 1892

The Weight Clerk

Reduce purchasing rate for silver across counter to 86 cents per ounce fine.

Acting Supt

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,
Oct. 20, 1892

The Assistant Clerk

Reduce purchasing rate for silver across counter to 86 cents per ounce fine.

Acting Supt

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F.B.C

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.
Superintendent's Office.

October 20th 1892

Sir

Herewith please find Coiners and Superintendents Reports of Medals and Proof Coins Manufactured and Sold during the Quarter ending September 30th 1892.

Very Respectfully

Acting Superintendent

Hon. E. O. Leech.
Director of the Mint
Washington
D. C.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 20 1892

The Director of the Mint U.S.
Washington. D.C.

Sir:-

I wish thank you to have sent to this Mint Treasury Circular "Issue and Redemption of Currency," — say 250 copies.

Our stock is exhausted.

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt.

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 20, 1892

Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

The following telegram sent you this day is hereby made official:

"Bar ag sixty-six fine today."

Acting Supt

FORM NO. 86 A.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

Oct 20th 1892

Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
New York.

Sir:

I draw this day check—

No. 13148,	favor	Haudy & Harman	for $	59,043.93
" 13149,	"	Clark, Dodge & Co	" $	5,708.58
" 13150,	"	Am. Kansas City Sx N. Co	" $	24,151.91
" 13151,	"	Fourth Nat Bank N.Y. Ally for Zimmermann & Frohey N.Y.	" $	10,942.04
" 13152,	"	Amer Exchange Nat Bank N.Y.	" $	19,000.00
" 13153,	"	Norden & Fanshawe	" $	7,500.00

in payment for Silver Bullion.

Respectfully yours,

Boling Superintendent.

(Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.)

(Form No. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct 20th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Clark, Dodge & Co

per letter of advice, dated Oct 10th, 1892

Invoice Weight, ozs. 200,096.10

Fine Weight, ozs. 199.409.40

Value, @ 0.8485 per oz. fine, $ 169.198.85

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

(FORM NO. 299.)

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

O.B.J.

Oct 20th 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Handy & Harman

per letter of advice, dated Oct 17th 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs	50,910.20
Fine Weight,	ozs	50,831.69
Value, @ 0.8685 per oz. fine,	$	44,147.32

Acting Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-15-'90—1,000.]

(Form No. 299.)

013.

The Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

Oct 20th, 1892

Statement of Silver Bullion purchased by the Director of the Mint from Zimmermann & Forshay

per letter of advice, dated Oct 17th, 1892

Invoice Weight,	ozs.	50,662.60
Fine Weight,	ozs.	50,566.22
Value, @ 0.8690 per oz. fine,	$	43,942.04

Eckfeldt Superintendent

[Ed. 12-16-'90—1,000.]

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,
Superintendent's Office,

Oct. 22, 1892

Col. Jas. P. Kerr,
Acting Supervising Architect
Treasury Dept. Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter of Oct. 20 (V.A.H.) relative to disposal of the present new third floor floors, I beg to say that our Mr. Jones has already prepared for disposal of first and second floor and is ready to enter upon the attic as soon as C. Bonaparte shall return from Chicago. He has projected his drawings on about the scale you submit, namely, 40 feet to the inch.

The Superintendent is expected on Tuesday at latest. I do not feel at liberty to permit the drawings to go forward until C. B. has examined them.

Very Respectfully

Acting Supt

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

Office,

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Report of Coiner's Department